Today's Weather. Fair and Warmer.

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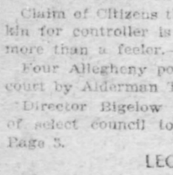
THE WEATHER



Fair.

Fair and warmer today, and fair weather for tomorrow, is the prediction of the Washington observer for Pittsburgh and vicinity. The maximum temperature yesterday was 44 and the minimum 34 degrees. The sun rose cloudy at 7:07 and set cloudy at 5:04 yesterday. The daily report, furnished by the local weather office, follows:

Time.	Baro.	Tem.	Hum.	Wind.	Weather
8 a. m....	29.92	37	58	N.W.	Cloudy.
8 p. m....	30.27	35	55	W.	Cloudy.

Comparative temperature and precipitation for November 14:

	1904	1903		1904	1903
Maximum ..	44	48	Mean	39	42
Minimum ..	34	37	Precipitation	T	....
Nor. temp. 31 yrs.	44		Nor. precip. 31 yrs.	.08	
Dfcy. for day	5		Dfcy. since Nov. 1.	.02	
Dfcy. since Nov. 1.	25		Dfcy. since Jan. 1.	3.14	
Dfcy. since Jan. 1.	544				

Official Weather Report.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 14.—Forecast:

Western Pennsylvania and Ohio—Fair, warmer Tuesday; Wednesday fair; south winds.

Eastern Pennsylvania — Fair Tuesday; Wednesday fair, warmer; fresh north winds, becoming variable.

West Virginia—Fair Tuesday; Wednesday fair, warmer.

Observations taken at weather bureau stations at 8 p. m.:

St. Louis	52 Clear	Cincinnati	50 Clear
Cairo	44 Clear	Indianapolis	40 Clear
Omaha	46 Clear	Nashville	44 Clear
Chicago	40 Clear	Vicksburg	64 Clear
Memphis	46 Clear	Kansas City	42 Clear
El Paso	54 Clear	Washington	40 Clear
St. Paul	40 Clear	Philadelphia	40 Clear
Huron	40 Clear	New York	38 Clear
Helena	42 Clear	Louisville	44 Clear
Duluth	42 Cloudy	New Orleans	56 Clear
Denver	54 Clear	Cleveland	34 Clear
Salt Lake	44 Clear	Buffalo	36 Clear

To Be a Supreme Effort.

RUSSIA IN WAR TO BITTER END

Count Cassini Declares Peace Talk Is on Behalf of the Japanese Loan.

HE LAUDS CZAR'S RESOURCES

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

WASHINGTON, Nov. 14.—"Russia will pursue the war in the far east to the bitter end—that is, until Russia has conquered."

These are the opening words of an emphatic statement made at the Russian embassy today by Count Cassini, the Russian ambassador. Several times recently the ambassador, in the name of his government, has categorically denied the possibility of any intervention in the war, but the recurrence of rumors that the powers contemplated mediation has caused the ambassador to reiterate, on behalf of his government, its position regarding intervention or mediation of any kind. The statement continues:

"I deem it my duty to reiterate what I have so often said—that Russia will not suspend in any case her military operations in the far east. All rumors and reports regarding the possible success of the direct overtures for peace which Japan is said to have made to Russia, and regarding the mediation of the powers, in my opinion, are started for the purpose of convincing the public that the end of the war is close at hand. In this way it is hoped the public may be led to believe that Japanese loans offer attractive investments.

"Russia can no more admit of interference than Great Britain could in the Transvaal, or than could the United States in her war with Spain. Where the prestige of a country is at stake, all other considerations are and must be put aside.

"Some people may think financial difficulties will influence Russia to end hostilities. Such an opinion is based on the false assumption of Russia's financial resources. There is no doubt whatever that Russia, whose annual income exceeds one milliard of dollars, cannot be influenced in her attitude toward the outcome of the war by the amount of war expenditures.

"Is it not altogether out of the question that Russia, who did not expect war, should in the moment when she has mobilized her army and is sending corps after corps in fighting readiness to the far east, suddenly call a halt on hostilities, particularly after she has for nearly a year, without any difficulty or recourse to extraordinary measures, been able to carry all the extra expense?

"It is not within my scope to comment upon the new Japanese loan. That is an affair for the bankers and for the public who are able to decide what advantages or disadvantages the investment offers. But there can be no necessity for commenting upon Russia's credit. Anyone acquainted with the Paris exchange is able to convince himself of the solidity of Russia's finances."

AMERICUS CLUB LED PARADE.

West Virginia Republicans Hold Big Jollification Meeting at Wheeling.

White and Dawson Speak.

WHEELING, W. VA., Nov. 14.—West Virginia Republicans combined with their Wheeling brethren tonight in an immense jollification over the result last Tuesday in state and nation. There were many visiting clubs from Ohio, West Virginia and Pennsylvania, including the well-known Americus club of Pittsburgh, which led the parade. Twenty thousand people lined the streets and cheered the marchers.

Gov. A. B. White and Gov.-Elect W. M. O. Dawson made short addresses from the balcony of the McLure house. Other members of the state government also were in attendance.

KILLED FRIEND BECAUSE HE REFUSED TO PAY BET

HUNTINGTON, W. VA., Nov. 14.—(Special.)—Refusal to pay an election wager was the cause of a killing at Dingess in Mingo county this evening. Will Kirk and Walter Dingess, lifelong friends, had made a bet. Kirk refused to pay the money and Dingess shot him three times.

Former Homestead Police Chief Dead.

DETROIT, Nov. 14.—Theodore S. Newton, who was chief of police of Homestead, Pa., during the great Homestead strike, died suddenly today at his home here. He had been suffering with rheumatism, and it is believed that the disease finally affected his heart. He was 58 years old and moved from Homestead to Detroit in 1901.

SCHWAB GIVES BIG DONATION

East End Charity Hospital Said to Get $10,000 from Former Steel Master.

BIG AID FOR ANNUAL BAZAR

Among the donations received for the bazar being held at Duquesne garden this week for the benefit of the East End Charity hospital, of which the Sisters of Charity have charge, is said to be a check for $10,000 from Charles M. Schwab. Mr. Schwab came to Pittsburgh to attend the dedication of the Carnegie library at Duquesne last Saturday, and on Sunday evening, while in Braddock, had a conference with one of the sisters in charge of the hospital and then told her he would make his share toward the success of the bazar $10,000.

Confirmation of the reported donation was practically given by one of the directors of the hospital, at Duquesne garden last night.

Mr. Schwab has shown a special interest in the success of the Sisters of Charity in their undertaking to establish a big hospital in the East End, and he has assisted them with money in the past for the hospital. When the property for the hospital at Beechwood boulevard and Frankstown avenue was purchased, and the management announced that a big building would be erected, Mr. Schwab was one of the prominent men who helped to make the big building a possibility, and it was reported that he had at the time advanced a large sum of money for the purpose. The site cost $100,000 and it was reported at the time of the purchase that Mr. Schwab had taken a mortgage on the property, without interest, for the full amount, in order to help the sisters with their project.

BROTHER BRINGS SUIT AGAINST PITTSBURGHER

Cumberland Man Goes Into Court to Recover Alleged Borrowed Money.

[Special Telegram to The Gazette.]

CUMBERLAND, MD., Nov. 14.—J. Wilson Humbird, a well-known local capitalist, who is very prominent socially, has entered suit in court here against his brother, James S. Humbird of Pittsburgh.

One suit is for $5,000, alleged borrowed money, and the other is on a note of $3,000. The suit caused something of a sensation here on account of the litigants being prominent. The defendant has been prominent for his connection with a carbon factory in Pittsburgh, besides other important interests, and like his brother received a patrimony of great proportions. His father, the late Jacob Humbird, was a millionaire contractor, having made his money in railroad construction in Brazil.

It is understood that the defendant still has property here, left him by his father, although not long ago he disposed of a valuable business building in Baltimore street.

WILL RUN THE DEBRIS THROUGH SLUICE BOX

Mechanism of Placer Mining Will Be Used in Effort to Unravel a Murder Mystery.

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

AUBURN, CAL., Nov. 14.—The Weber murder case is progressing slowly, as nothing can be done until the entire ruins have been run through a miner's sluice box. The debris will all be worked over tomorrow, and if the revolver with which the family was killed is not found Julius Weber, the father, will be partly vindicated.

Officers say they are in possession of evidence that points strongly toward Adolph Weber, a son, as the man who robbed the Placer County bank last May.

NAN PATTERSON'S TRIAL IS AGAIN DELAYED

NEW YORK, Nov. 14.—Contrary to expectations, the trial of Nan Patterson, who is charged with the murder of "Caesar" Young, will not be begun tomorrow in the supreme court. The trial of Joseph Bove, an Italian, for manslaughter, which was begun in the court today, was not finished when court adjourned.

FAIRBANKS WILL NOT RESIGN SOON

His Retirement from Senatorship Would Complicate Politics in Indiana.

WOULD GIVE DURBIN CHANCE

[Special Telegram to The Gazette.]

WASHINGTON, Nov. 14.—It is given out here on good authority that Mr. Fairbanks will not resign the senatorship until March. He withholds his resignation in order not to complicate the senatorial situation in Indiana more than it is already. Gov. Hanley will be inducted into office January 8, and if Senator Fairbanks should resign at that time or between then and March 4, when he will take the oath of office as vice president, it would be necessary for the legislature to take action immediately.

On the other hand, should he resign before January 8, Gov. Durbin would have to appoint some one to act until the legislature meets. Mr. Fairbanks favors the choice of Representative Hemenway. Gov. Durbin is a candidate and if he had a chance it is thought that he would resign and secure the appointment through the present lieutenant governor, who would become governor through Durbin's resignation.

Senator and Mrs. Fairbanks will go to Connecticut the last of this week to see the football game Saturday between Harvard and Yale at New Haven, where their two sons, Richard and Robert, are students.

Senator Fairbanks will go from New Haven to New York city where he has matters that will engage his time for a few days. He has an engagement to address the Home Market club at Boston December 1.

President Roosevelt has invited Senator and Mrs. Fairbanks to accompany him and Mrs. Roosevelt to the St. Louis exposition. Engagements in the east at that time prevented the senator from accepting. The senator expects to visit St. Louis some time this month.

SONS READ TELEGRAM AS A MESSAGE OF DEATH

Gave Orders to Have Father's Body Prepared, Then Arrived and Found Him Alive.

[Special Telegram to The Gazette.]

SHARON, PA., Nov. 14.—E. H. Jones of Akron, O., attended the sessions of the Congregational association of eastern Ohio and Western Pennsylvania at South Sharon. Yesterday he had a stroke of paralysis.

A message was at once sent to his sons at Akron, but they misinterpreted its meaning and thought their father was dead. One of the sons placed crape on the door of his place of business, and word was sent to an undertaker here to prepare the body for burial.

When the sons arrived here this morning they learned that their father is not only alive but will probably recover.

JAPANESE LOAN POPULAR.

According to Present Demand in America, It Is Likely That Applications Will Exceed Amount.

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 14.—One hour after the subscription for the new Japanese loan was opened today at the Nevada National bank $800,000 had been subscribed by the people of San Francisco. The largest individual subscription was for $100,000.

NEW YORK, Nov. 14.—Subscriptions to the American half of the new $60,000,000 Japanese loan which opened here today, are coming in extensively, according to Kuhn, Loeb & Co., who are financing the loan in conjunction with the National City bank, and the National Bank of Commerce. There is little doubt, they say, that applications will exceed the total amount.

Threatened to Shoot Rector.

NEW YORK, Nov. 14.—According to stories printed today, Rev. Dr. William S. Rainsford, rector of St. George's Episcopal church, one of the best known clergymen in this city, was threatened by a woman Sunday, who rushed into the rector's study with a revolver and vowed to kill him.

Panama Committee Sails.

NEW YORK, Nov. 14.—The congressional committee, headed by Congressman W. P. Hepburn, as chairman, which was appointed to inspect the Panama canal, sailed today on the United States transport Sumner for Colon.

AIRSHIP TEST WAS A FIZZLE

Mammoth Machine of M. Francois Demonstrated Nothing but Failure.

SMASHED ITS GEAR

Efforts to Turn the Craft Around by Its Propellers Were Futile.

WENT UP AT END OF A ROPE

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

ST. LOUIS, Nov. 14.—An accident brought the test flight of the Francois airship to an abrupt termination today after the flying machine had been in the air 15 minutes, during which its dirigibility was not satisfactorily demonstrated, owing, the inventor said, to the absence of a rudder.

The ascension was made at the end of a rope. It was announced the principal object of the flight was to test the balance of the car and to ascertain whether the airship could be guided by means of the fans or propellers without the use of the rudder. Miss Helen Gould, Prof. Langley of Washington and Count de la Vaulx, president of the French Aero club, occupied seats in the roped enclosure where the flight took place.

The airship rose to a height of about 100 feet. In the car were M. Hippolite Francois of Paris, inventor and builder of the airship, and M. Schneider, engineer.

The airship progressed slowly in a westerly direction, and M. Francois attempted to turn the flying machine around. He stopped the right-hand fans, but although the pair on the left-hand side revolved swiftly there was no perceptible change in the course of the airship and it was dragged around by those holding the ropes.

Shortly after this a sharp, breaking noise was heard. A few seconds later one of the stern propellers struck the upper framework several hard blows, breaking the propeller and splintering several of the under supports. Francois signaled to those on the ground, and the airship was pulled down and taken into the aerodrome.

An examination showed that one of the steel braces beneath the stern had pulled loose, and that the rear end of the car had tilted upward, through the propeller, into the upper work. M. Francois said the damage could be repaired within a few hours, and that, weather permitting, a flight would be made tomorrow.

The Francois airship is the largest ever seen in the United States. Its inventor says it is the largest flying machine in the world. The principle of locomotion combines the ideas advanced by other aeronauts demonstrating at the world's fair, in that the forward propellers pull the machine and the stern propellers push.

The weight of the car is 3,100 pounds. The propellers are revolved by a 28-horse power motor.

The lifting power is primarily supplied by an immense gas bag, 150 feet long, 35 feet wide at the center and tapering to blunt ends. This balloon has a lifting power of 4,000 pounds.

ARROW WILL PERFORM FOR NEW YORK PUBLIC

Roy Knabenshue Purposes to Make It Sail Over and Under the Brooklyn Bridge.

[Special Telegram to The Gazette.]

TOLEDO, O., Nov. 14.—Roy Knabenshue, of airship Arrow fame, will sail The Arrow over and under the Brooklyn bridge. He will attempt the feat early in the spring.

Inventor Baldwin will join Knabenshue here in a few days, when plans for the future will be decided on. Baldwin and Knabenshue will probably spend the winter in California, building more airships like the Arrow, with some improvements.

Paul Knabenshue, who made a trip in St. Louis with an operator for a wireless telegraph company, says it was demonstrated by this trip that a 50-foot pole is as good as a 100-foot pole for wireless messages.

SECRETARY HAY ILL.

Head of State Department Will Not Be Able to Attend the Funeral of His Brother.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 14.—It is probable Secretary Hay will act upon the urgent advice of his physicians and not go to Illinois to attend the funeral of his brother, Maj. A. Leonard Hay. A telegram received today states that the body of Maj. Hay is to be placed in a receiving vault for the present and that the interment will be made later.

Secretary Hay will attend the interment. The secretary was not at the department today.

ADMIRAL BEAUMONT ON NORTH SEA COMMISSION

LONDON, Nov. 14.—The appointment of Vice Admiral Sir Lewis A. Beaumont, former commander-in-chief of the Australian station, to be British representative of the North sea commission, is officially announced. Admiral Beaumont married a daughter of Charles C. Perkins of Boston, Mass.

Weinseimer Is Sentenced.

NEW YORK, Nov. 14.—Philip Weinseimer, the former labor leader, convicted of extortion, was today sentenced to state prison for not less than one year and eight months, nor more than two years and eight months.

Senator Joseph B. Foraker.

SENATOR FORAKER WANTS THE FEDERAL PATRONAGE

Old Question of Appointments in Ohio Has Renewed Factional War.

[Special Telegram to The Gazette.]

COLUMBUS, Nov. 14.—Senator Foraker is wrought up over the compact formed last week between Senator Dick, Gov. Herrick and George Cox of Cincinnati, to control the Republican party of Ohio.

It is positively known Foraker's disposition is to fight the renomination of Herrick for governor and his silence is construed to mean that he is taking an inventory of his guns and ammunition.

Foraker is now in Washington to ask President Roosevelt what he is going to do about it. Foraker stood out boldly and almost alone for the indorsement of President Roosevelt by the Ohio convention two years ago and forced Senator Hanna and his organization to give that indorsement against their will.

Now he wants to know whether the president is going to reward him by giving him control of the federal patronage in Ohio. If he can have the say on federal patronage the belief is that Foraker will decide to fight the triumvirate and the old Hanna organization.

DESPERATE FIGHTING OCCURS UNDERGROUND

The Japanese Are Trying to Capture More Moats Before Port Arthur.

[Associated Press Cable to The Gazette.]

HEADQUARTERS THIRD JAPANESE ARMY BEFORE PORT ARTHUR, Nov. 4, VIA FUSAN, Nov. 14.—By a general attack on the eastern fortified ridge on October 30, the Japanese gained the moats of the principal forts assailed. These were wider, deeper and stronger than had been supposed, and were defended by caponieres or galleries running north of the Keekwan forts. The galleries were captured after desperate fighting underground.

The Russians still hold parts of the moats, but the Japanese are engaged in sapping to dislodge them, after which the capture of the forts should be easy.

The casualties on the Japanese side in the recent engagement were 1,000.

THREE DEATHS RESULT OF PARTY AT A FARM HOUSE

One Man Is Cremated and Husband and Wife Are Killed by a Runaway in Wisconsin.

[Special Telegram to The Gazette.]

APPLETON, WIS., Nov. 14.—Three deaths is the result of a party in the county, near this city, last night. While the neighbors were in the house at supper the barn caught fire. James Rahleigh, a young man in attendance, rushed into the barn to save his horse, but before he could escape the structure fell and he was buried in the ruins.

Mr. and Mrs. Hurst, also members of the party, borrowed a rig from another neighbor and started for the home of the young man's parents to tell of the accident. Their horse became frightened and both were thrown out of the buggy. Mrs. Hurst was impaled on a picket fence, where she was found dead by other members of the party on their way home. Hurst was thrown against a tree and so badly injured that he died today.

WATCHED HIS DYNAMITE UNTIL IT EXPLODED

Man and His House Were Blown to Pieces, but Wife and Three Children Escaped.

[Special Telegram to The Gazette.]

BUTLER, PA., Nov. 14.—Peter Lika, an employe of the Osborne limestone quarries at Wick station, was blown to pieces and his house, in the village of Forestville, was reduced to kindling this morning by an explosion of dynamite.

Lika had 36 sticks of the explosive lying on the floor in front of an open grate. He sat watching it, while his wife and three children were in an adjoining room. They were uninjured.

ADMONISHES THE NEGROES.

Booker T. Washington Tells Colored Citizens Not to Become Pompous Over the Election.

BIRMINGHAM, ALA., Nov. 14.—In an address to the colored citizens tonight Booker T. Washington said:

"Not a few have predicted that on account of the recent election, many members of our race would lose their heads, become unduly pompous, self-assertive and generally offensive. With all the earnestness that I can command I want to urge our people in every part of the country to disappoint those who have made such predictions by leading a life of increased usefulness, soberness and simplicity."

STORM'S HAVOC WIDE SPREAD

Entire Day's Work Makes Little Impression on Damage Wrought.

WORST SINCE 1888

News Gotten to Papers by Relay System, Including Use of Cabs.

WALL STREET IS HARD HIT

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

NEW YORK, Nov. 14.—The storm which swept up the Atlantic coast from the Gulf of Mexico yesterday and last night, developing into a gale as it moved northward, resulted in the most complete tie-up of wire communication that the eastern states have experienced since 1888. It disarranged train schedules, paralyzed trolley lines and plied several wrecks along the coast.

Rain and snow accompanied the storm, adding to the destructiveness of the gale. Telephone and telegraph poles, borne down by the weight of snow and ice-encrusted wires, gave way before the sweep of the wind, and whole states were cut off.

Both the telegraph and telephone companies with long-distance wires today reported their fields of operations restricted to the territory bounded on the west by Philadelphia, on the east by Boston and on the north by Newburgh, N. Y. The big brokerage concerns in Wall street, many of whom under normal conditions operate thousands of miles of wire, today found themselves helpless.

The exchanges were no more fortunate and the only quotations received from Chicago and New Orleans were the market reports of the Associated Press. These quotations were the only figures obtained in New York city from the cotton and grain centers of the south and west.

How Gaps Were Bridged.

By an elaborate system of relays and by the use of both telephone and telegraph wires the Associated Press succeeded in bridging the gaps between east and west, cut by the storm, and reached all points west, north and east, with the exception of a small region in the vicinity of Albany. There the damage from the snow and wind seemed beyond immediate repair, and with the exception of trains there was no communication with that region during the day.

The general breaking down of wires was almost entirely responsible for trouble on the railroads. The movement of trains could not be reported, and delays extending into hours in many cases were reported.

That the effects of the storm were more far-reaching than in any similar disturbance since the great blizzard of 1888 became evident today when the disarrangement of wire communication continued almost as complete as at any time during the height of the storm. Up to 10 o'clock many points were completely isolated, while whole sections were reached only by most circuitous routes. To the west the only points having direct communication with New York were Philadelphia and Baltimore. The Associated Press, however, had succeeded in reaching the west, and, incidentally, many eastern points by means of a telephone wire between Baltimore and Chicago.

Carried News by Cabs.

The news report carried over the regular wires between New York and Baltimore, when it reached the latter city, was transferred a distance of 10 blocks to the telephone office by cabs, was then forwarded by telegraph to Chicago over a long-distance telephone wire, and from Chicago was telegraphed back to Washington and other cities which could not be reached over the regular routes.

The first direct communication with northern and western New York was obtained during the afternoon, when a single uninterrupted line was forced through to Albany by the Western Union.

So complete was the prostration of wires through the sections where the effect of the storm was most seriously felt that conditions had improved but little this afternoon. Some progress was made, but the damage was so extensive the work progressed with tedious slowness. An idea of the conditions with which repair crews were obliged to contend is shown by the experience of Western Union workmen near the New Jersey-Pennsylvania state line. In the single stretch from Dover, N. J., to Scranton, Pa., 128 telegraph poles had been toppled over by the gale. To raise these poles and straighten out the tangled, useless wires and re-establish communication was the work of many hours.

Four Cities Cut Off.

The same plan was followed in many other cases. For instance, the Associated Press' regular New York state circuit, a network of wires connecting all the principal cities of the state, was practically out of service for a time. Newberg to the north, marked the end of the circuit, points beyond being completely cut off. Finally, a temporary circuit was set up by forming a connecting link between Cleveland and Buffalo.

From Buffalo the report was relayed down through the state as far as Utica. At that point, however, wire paralysis again was encountered, leaving Amsterdam, Schenectady, Albany and Troy completely cut off from the outside world. The only reports received from that section of the state today came by train from Albany. Four inches of wet snow had broken down telephone, telegraph, electric light and fire alarm wires in Albany and vicinity, and badly hampered street car and train service.

While the effect of the storm was not so severe in New England, some points in that section felt the full force of the

gale. Wires were down in all parts of Maine. Some points on Cape Cod could not be reached by wire early in the day, and Pittsfield, in the Berkshires, was cut off entirely from both New York and Boston. Wire service to many points in eastern Canada, which was swept by the storm, also was disabled.

Brokers Take a Rest.

Operations in Wall street were curtailed. At the opening of the stock market the stock exchange branch of the Western Union Telegraph Company had only a few direct wires working. These were to Philadelphia on the south, and Hartford and Boston on the east. Western and southwestern wires were still down today, as were all wires south of Baltimore. All messages were accepted subjected to delay.

At no time since 1888 has the Wall street business of the telegraph companies been so badly crippled. A small army of linemen were sent out directly after daybreak, and it is expected all the damage will be repaired by tomorrow. The local telephone service was not seriously interrupted by the storm, but there was no communication over the telephones to such points as Philadelphia, Boston and Albany.

Two "trusties" and a keeper, employed on Riker's island, during the storm started in a small boat from the island to One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street to get the night keepers. After considerable work they managed to get out into the river, where the wind seemed to increase and the three men were unable to reach the main land, the boat being swept down the river to South Brother island, where it was beached.

The whereabouts of the men was unknown until today, and it was feared that they had been drowned, as they had been compelled to remain on the island all night.

Two keepers who tried to go from Hart's island to City island in a launch at about the same time, were compelled to put on life preservers and abandon their boat, which was swept to Whitestone, a distance of about 10 miles.

ALBANY IS DEMORALIZED.

Held No Communication With Outside World for 24 Hours, and Half the City Sat in Darkness

ALBANY, N. Y., Nov. 14.—Albany had never had a worse demoralization of wire communication than that which has isolated it today as a result of last night's storm. For nearly 24 hours neither telegraph nor telephone was communication possible with any point further than Cohoes, eight miles outside the city. Wires are down all over the city.

At 10 o'clock last night more than half the city was in darkness from interrupted light circuits. The fire alarm service was so crippled that special precautions were taken by the police to give warning in case of fire. The snow was not over four inches deep, but it was so heavy that trolley traffic was greatly hampered and trains entering the city averaged an hour late.

MAINE IS ISOLATED.

Portland Reports Western Union Poles All Down for 55 Miles Between Bangor and Waterville.

PORTLAND, ME., Nov. 14.—Communication in Maine east of Portland was completely paralyzed by the storm shortly after midnight and had not been re-established at 9:30 a. m. There was neither a telephone nor telegraph wire to any point east. In this city all street electric lights were in darkness after 11 p. m.

Information brought by trains from the east show that 564 poles of the Western Union between Waterville and Bangor, a distance of 55 miles, are down. At 2 o'clock about 30 miles of the break had been repaired.

Schooner Wrecked, Mate Dead.

PICTON, ONT., Nov. 14.—The schooner Annie Falconer, owned and sailed by Capt. Murney Ackerman of Picton, went down in the gale Saturday night. James Sullivan, the mate, after reaching land died from cold and exposure.

POISONED ICE CREAM KILLS TWELVE NEGROES

MEMPHIS, TENN., Nov. 14.—A special to the Commercial Appeal from Decatur Ala., says that 12 negroes are dead at Cead Lake from eating poisoned ice cream at a church rally.

OCEAN INTELLIGENCE.

Arrived, November 14.

New York—Menominee, from London; Tjomo, Progreso, Campeche and Vera, from Fort Antonio; Hamburg, from Hamburg, via Dover and Boulogne.

Suez (Nov. 13)—Robert Adamson, from Kava, via Colombo, for Delaware Breakwater.

Genoa (Nov. 13)—Koenigin Luise, from New York, via Naples.

Antwerp—Zeeland, from New York, via Dover.

Plymouth—Kaiser Wilhelm II., from New York.

Cleared, November 14.

New York—Pannonia, for Naples, Trieste and Fiume; Bremen, for Bremen, via Plymouth and Cherbourg; Phoenicia, for Naples and Genoa; Movic, for Liverpool; Red Hill, for Montevideo and Buenos Ayres; Antonio Lopez, for Havana and Vera Cruz; Bayonne, for Venice.

Sailed, November 14.

New York—Indra, for Pensacola; Duncan, for St. Ann's bay, Jamaica.

Shields (Nov. 13)—Paula, for Baltimore.

Liverpool (Nov. 12)—Ulstermore, for Baltimore.

Gibraltar—Konig Albert, for New York.

Bologne (Nov. 13)—Graf Waldersee, for New York.

Passed, November 14.

Prawle Point (Nov. 13)—Egremont Castle, from Brunswick, via Norfolk, for Hamburg; Lugano, from Port Tampa, via Newport News, for Bremen; Staufield, from Norfolk, for Dunkirk and Rotterdam; Tabasco, from Baltimore, for Rotterdam and Sunderland.

Lizard (Nov. 13)—Rosefield, from Norfolk, for Fecamp and Tyne.

Browhead—Manchester, from Philadelphia, for Manchester.

Kinalea—Nicoto, from Newport News, for Manchester.

Gibraltar (Nov. 11)—Avristan, from Bussorah, via Muscat, for New York and Savannah.

TODAY'S AMUSEMENTS.

NIXON—Maude Adams in "The Little Minister," 8:15 p. m.

NEW ALVIN—Harry Davis' stock company in "Charley's Aunt," 2 and 8 p. m.

GRAND OPERA HOUSE—Continuous vaudeville bill of 15 acts, headed by Pittsburgh's popular comediennes, Marion Ballou, 1:30 to 10:30 p. m.

GAYETY—Florence Bindley in "The Street Singer," 2 and 8 p. m.

BIJOU—Hanlon Bros.' "Superba," 8 p. m.

AVENUE—Harry Davis' musical travesty company in "Hurly-Burly."

DUQUESNE—The Rays in "Down the Pike," 2 and 8 p. m.

EMPIRE—Annie Blanche in "A Little Outcast," 8:15 p. m.

WILLIAMS' ACADEMY—The Imperials in burlesque, 2 and 8 p. m.

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TELEGRAMS ARE SENT BY MAIL

Communication East by Wire, It Is Reported, Will Be Open by This Evening.

MANY LINEMEN SENT EAST

Messages for the east were yesterday being carried by special messengers and by the mails, for the telegraph companies, communication east of Harrisburg being still in a badly crippled condition as a result of Sunday's big storm. The Postal Telegraph Company is sending all messages offered to it by wire to Harrisburg, from which point the telegrams are carried by men to Philadelphia for distribution. The Western Union offices in this city mailed nearly all their messages yesterday afternoon and evening to Philadelphia. The long-distance lines of the Bell Telephone Company are being repaired rapidly, and last night the company had a line through to Philadelphia and four lines to Baltimore.

The latest reports received at the telegraph and telephone offices in Pittsburgh stated the most damage caused to the wires by the storm was between Lancaster and Philadelphia, in which section not only were the wires pulled down by the ice and snow, but also many poles. In the open country districts much damage was done by large trees falling across the wires. Gangs of linemen have been called in from all points as far west as Chicago. Pittsburgh yesterday sent east all the linemen to be had, and the Bell Telephone Company sent 145 emergency cables, all that it had in stock, to be used in repairing eastern breaks.

It is expected that by 8 o'clock this morning two-thirds of the long-distance wires will again be in working order. The Pittsburgh officials of the telephone company expected to get in communication with Washington, D. C., before daylight. During the late afternoon yesterday two long-distance telephone wires were working as far as Baltimore.

The Postal Telegraph Company called in all its linemen and repairmen from Ohio and West Virginia and sent them on east. Yesterday afternoon a wire was in working order as far as Baltimore, but up to late last night there was no communication to be had with Washington. At the local office of the company it was stated that no messages had been sent by way of the southern states, but that if necessary it would be possible to reach Washington via the southern route.

The Postal wires suffered mostly between Lancaster and Philadelphia. Poles in some places were knocked down and at many points the system of wires was almost wiped out. Between Baltimore and Washington communication was very bad. The Postal expects to have working lines connected up with the east by this evening.

At the local office of the Western Union it was stated that all the linemen had been called in and that 50 per cent of the company's wires would be in working order by tonight. The company only accepted messages with the understanding that they would be delivered if possible. Telegraph operators were sent to Harrisburg from Philadelphia to assist the former office in handling the business for the west, and the Postal company sent operators from this city to Harrisburg for the same purpose.

At the local telegraph offices it was stated that the men in the field worked rapidly during the day, but little could be done toward untangling the mass of fallen wires after dark. With enough poles replaced to string one line of wire it was said that only a short time was needed until all the wires would again be up and in working order.

At the local railroad stations communication east of Harrisburg is still closed, but it was expected that a wire would be put up and be in working order shortly after midnight. All the passenger trains have been delayed, but all were reported to be running on good time. No freight trains were sent out over the railroads and as the passenger trains had clear tracks they were running without much danger, the block system keeping the trainmen informed of the movement of all trains.

Over 200 linemen went east last night over the Pennsylvania railroad to repair the damage done by Sunday night's storm. The repairmen will be employed stringing up both the telegraph and the telephone wires used by the Pennsylvania. When these are repaired the men will be loaned to any district which is in need of men.

The linemen were equipped with several hundred yards of copper wire and all kinds of insulators and other apparatus required in stringing wires. The men were gathered up at various places along the western roads.

All the through trains coming west were delayed between Philadelphia and Harrisburg. When the Pennsylvania limited came over the middle division there were about five inches of snow, but it was melting rapidly.

STORM ON LAKE ERIE LEFT DEATH IN WAKE

Tug Gregory Foundered, and Captain Minney, of Buffalo, Is Drowned. Another Man Fatally Hurt.

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

CLEVELAND, O., Nov. 14.—In the fierce storm that prevailed over Lake Erie and Northern Ohio last night, Capt. Dell Minney of Buffalo lost his life by the foundering of the tug Gregory at the mouth of the river. His body has not been recovered.

An unknown man, supposed to have been temporarily blinded by flying dust and cinders, was struck by an Erie passenger train and his skull fractured. He will probably die.

No vessels arrived during the night. The steamer City of Erie from Buffalo came in this morning an hour late and reported the heaviest sea of the year running in Lake Erie.

PASSENGERS TAKEN OFF THE STEAMER MERION

PHILADELPHIA, Nov. 14.—The American line steamship Merion, from Liverpool and Queenstown for this port, which went aground on Chester island flats, in the Delaware river, 12 miles below this city, during the storm of Sunday afternoon, was still fast in the mud at a late hour tonight. The 1,000 passengers, who were compelled to remain on the big liner all night, were taken off by the river steamboat Columbia this afternoon.

SELBOURNE SAYS ENGLAND SHOULD WATCH RUSSIA

Her Exploit in Manchuria Shows What the Nation Might Do in India.

[Associated Press Cable to The Gazette.]

LONDON, Nov. 14.—Lord Selbourne, first lord of the admiralty, speaking at Bristol tonight and referring to Russia's having granted Great Britain's just demands, said the crisis just experienced was an occasion for the country to take stock of its defensive organization; and in dealing with this question it was impossible to ignore the rapid march of the Russian empire toward the Indian frontier. It was useless, Lord Selbourne said, for a business nation dealing with its liabilities to mince matters. Instead of a vast tract of impassable country separating the two empires, Russia had two railways terminating at the Afghanistan frontier, only a matter of 400 miles from the Indian railway.

He hoped there never could be war between the two countries; but Britons were bound to consider what the Russian military organizations had succeeded in achieving in Manchuria at the end of 6,000 miles of a single track railway line and to govern British military preparations in India accordingly.

Jumped from Sixth Street Bridge.

A man supposed to be Joseph Reinstein of 1308 Locust street, Allegheny, was rescued from the Allegheny river by Bridge Officer John P. Smith and Harry Gillespie of Jefferson street, Allegheny, after he had jumped from the Sixth street bridge shortly before last midnight. Searchlights from the towboats tied up on the Pittsburgh side located the man for the rescuers. He was taken to the Allegheny general hospital and will recover. He had several photographs of himself in his pocket.

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HE FELT FINE AND DANDY, BUT DEATH WAS NEAR-BY

James Mackey, Aged and Well-Known Employe of the P. & L. E., Died Suddenly Yesterday.

James Mackey, aged 77 years, one of the oldest and most trusted employes in the treasurer's office of the Pittsburgh & Lake Erie railroad, died suddenly at the Lake Erie terminal building yesterday morning. Mr. Mackey had been afflicted for some years with kidney trouble, and recently had not been feeling very well.

E. H. Hucke, who is connected with the same office, asked him yesterday how he felt, and his reply was, "Fine and dandy." Earlier in the day he had told C. L. Gist, superintendent of transportation of the Pittsburgh & Lake Erie, that he had never felt better.

Shortly after his conversation with Mr. Hucke, Mr. Mackey went to the toilet room of the station, and was absent for so long a time that fears were aroused. Louis Robinson, one of the general office porters, stated that he had heard a suspicious noise in the room. Superintendent Gist was summoned, and Mr. Hucke climbed over the door of one of the compartments and found Mr. Mackey lying on the floor dead. He was carried out to his office and his family notified.

Mr. Mackey was well known the full length of the road. As paymaster he accompanied the pay car on its trips. He was highly esteemed and his sudden death caused a great deal of sorrow among the offices of the terminal building.

He lived at No. 120 North Lang avenue, and is survived by a widow and several children.

SABBATH OBSERVANCE THEME OF CONVENTION

Speakers at Opening Session of State Sabbath Association—Urge Support of Sunday Law.

The second annual convention of the Pennsylvania State Sabbath association opened in the East Liberty Presbyterian church last night, with a mass meeting over which the Hon. H. Kirke Porter presided. The meeting was not as well attended as had been expected, not over 100 being present. The addresses were by the Hon. W. N. Ashman, LL. D., judge of the orphans court of Philadelphia, and the Rev. Dr. S. B. McCormick, chancellor of the Western University of Pennsylvania.

Dr. McCormick asserted that the state should care for the observance of the Sabbath and the rights of its people as the character of a state depends largely on the character of its people. To this end he declared the state should provide a Sabbath in order that its people may recuperate morally, physically and mentally for the labors of the week. He urged as the duty of the association that the viewpoint of all well-meaning men should be obtained as to the proper observance of the day, and revise the association's own thoughts to conform to a best-for-all plan. Preaching, teaching and constantly instructing all on the proper observance of the day, was the work of the association, according to his opinion.

Judge Ashman said that over a century ago the majority of the people of the state, through their legislators, framed the laws known as the "blue laws" and that the state had progressed under them and would continue to do so. He said there were distinct classes of legislation and the Sabbath laws were of that class which called forth prejudice from a class of people whose comfort was interfered with. He declared that the same majority which passed the laws existed today and it was a small minority which was clamoring for their repeal. He declared that all medical science was of the opinion that a periodical time of rest was good for the welfare of man, but that the minority, which wished to repeal the Sabbath laws, overlooked the fact in their selfishness, that in order to spend the day of rest in enjoyment, many were compelled to work.

The business session will open this morning in the Third United Presbyterian church, Diamond street.

William H. Robinson Dead.

William H. Robinson, aged 70, one of the best known residents of Braddock, died yesterday at the home of his son, Alderman William Robinson, 7612 Bennett street. Mr. Robinson was a veteran of the Civil war and had many friends throughout both Pittsburgh and Allegheny.

Cardinal Mecenni Dead.

ROME, Nov. 15.—Cardinal Mecenni, who was administrator of the apostolic palace under Pope Leo XIII., died today at the vatican of paralysis while the consistory was in progress.

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POLICEMEN USED FERRET AND ARE FINED FOR IT

They Went to Indiana County for Bunnies and Came Home Much Poorer.

Three Pittsburgh policemen will long remember the visit they paid to Isaac Mentch of Cherry Hill township, Indiana county, for they each came away $25 poorer. Mentch will long remember his visitors, for while he got none of the $75, it is up to him to prove to his brother farmers that he was innocent of complicity in the offense which cost his guests so much money. Mentch is already swearing that he did not know the Pittsburghers had a ferret with them to do rabbit hunting with. It was the ferret that got the three policemen, Arthur Gittins, A. W. Gittins and James King, and their friend, August Lewis, into the toils of justice.

This is the story that comes from Indiana county: Mentch used to be a Pittsburgh policeman and he had often invited the men named to visit him. This they did last Sunday. Yesterday they started out with a ferret. Rabbit holes were plentiful and the well-trained ferret ran down the holes and instead of killing the rabbits, as badly trained ferrets do, he got behind them and drove them to daylight, where the four Pittsburghers, holding a bag over the mouth of the hole, captured them.

The sportsmen of the neighborhood apparently got up in arms and they told a constable, who has a roving commission as game warden. He arrested the four men and took them before a justice of the peace, who assessed the fines.

Hunting rabbits with ferrets is said to be quite common in Cherry Hill township, but nobody more strenuously denies the existence of that form of sport than the men who practice it. Consequently Mentch is being held up to obloquy by the neighborhood, and is calling his neighbors hypocrites.

Good-natured Arthur Gittins felt bad when he boarded the wagon that bore him and his companions from Mentch's farm, but he could not refrain from cracking one of the puns for which he is famous out at the Frankstown avenue police station.

"I'm sorry this happened, old man," said Mentch.

"Oh, don't mentch-un it, Isaac," said Gittins.

REPUBLICAN CLUB ASKS COURT FOR A CHARTER

The Young Men's Republican club of Allegheny county yesterday asked Judge Marshal Brown to grant it a charter. The application is signed by John H. Jones, George Shiras III., James W. Brown, W. R. Woodford, William Montgomery, George W. Theis, John F. Steel, Uriah Bellingham, E. C. Klemman, William Boate, Frank C. Harper, A. R. Hamilton, Thomas P. Jones, Richard B. Scandrett, S. A. Brenner, John E. Gable, Joseph H. Vitchestain and W. J. Shore, Jr. The club is organized by the Citizens party in the hope of building a so-called Republican organization in the county. The membership is comprised chiefly of members of the city and county payrolls. The branch club in the Thirty-eighth ward was formed last night. The officers are Charles Haden, chairman, and T. B. Werner, secretary.

Common pleas court No. 2 yesterday granted charters to the Wilmerding Tariff club and the Rural club of Brushton.

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WHALE BLEW ASHORE ON THE MAINE COAST

Hurricane Raged Along Coast of Nova Scotia—Few Marine Disasters Reported.

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

BOSTON, Nov. 14.—The fierce southern storm which started off the Florida coast Saturday, tonight had its center off Cape Race, Newfoundland. The storm in the provinces, particularly along the peninsula of Nova Scotia, was attended with terrific gales and an unusually low barometer, the glass at Halifax today showing a mark of 28.6.

Telegraphic and telephonic communications with the provinces is interrupted, and what news came from eastern Maine filtered through during the day by a circuitous route. Tonight there is no wire communication east or north of Waterville, Maine, and all telegraphic connections between Boston and Vermont is suspended. Late tonight the New England Telegraph Company got its first wire since the storm began through to Burlington.

Few marine disasters have been reported. So far as known tonight only two vessels were wrecked, and no lives were lost.

Throughout the entire area of Maine, New Hampshire and Vermont the course of the telegraph and telephone lines is marked by the hundreds of poles that were blown down.

At Pennellville, Maine, a whale 80 feet long was blown ashore. Unable to get back into deep water the great creature lay helpless on the beach, and a bullet from a hunter's rifle ended its life.

FIRE DOES $4,000 DAMAGE TO A HANDSOME STABLE

W. W. Darley's Carriage and Automobile House Was in Danger of Total Destruction.

Fire in the carriage and automobile house of W. W. Darley, No. 7131 Penn avenue, at 11:20 o'clock last night damaged the upper story and roof of the building to the extent of about $4,000. There were no horses in the building at the time. Several valuable carriages and a couple of automobiles stored on the lower floor were removed in safety.

The fire was discovered by a passerby who ran to No. 16 engine house, a short distance away, and gave the alarm. The flames started in the upper floor of the building, which is used as sleeping quarters by the stableman. The latter was absent at the time of the fire. A quantity of goods stored there by him was burned. The Darley residence is located in one of the most aristocratic parts of the city. It is almost opposite the home of Henry Clay Frick.

Mr. Darley is a partner of W. C. Temple in the tubing business, and is a business man of prominence. Like Mr. Temple he is an enthusiastic automobilist, and usually several expensive machines are stored in his stables. Mr. Temple generally makes his home at the Hotel Schenley, but he has been staying at Mr. Darley's home recently while Mr. Darley is in St. Louis.

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ISIDORE RUSH IS DROWNED IN SURF

Actress Succumbed to Heart Failure When Wave Carried Her Into Deep Water.

SHE WAS A PENNSYLVANIA GIRL

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

SAN DIEGO, CAL., Nov. 14.—Miss Isidore Rush, an actress, today died of heart failure while bathing in the surf. The shock was caused by an immense wave which carried her into deep water. Half a dozen members of her theatrical company were in the surf and assistance was at once hurried to her. She was unconscious when brought to shore. Physicians worked over Miss Rush for an hour in vain.

Another member of the company, Milton Heriot, who endeavored to rescue

Miss Isidore Rush.

Miss Rush, was rendered unconscious, but was revived after vigorous treatment.

Miss Isadore Rush was well known among the eastern theater goers, and her unexpected death will cause a shock to those who remember her recent success and recall her career as a comedienne of many charming qualities. Miss Rush was a native of Pennsylvania, having been born in Wilkesbarre in this state, and is a member of a well known and highly respected family of that city. She made her first professional debut when at the age of 20 at the old Boston museum, with Roland Reed in "The Woman Hater." Miss Rush was continuously associated with Mr. Reed until the death of that actor in 1900. She was then seen in musical comedy and was for a time with the Rogers Brothers. Miss Rush was last seen in this city in "Florodora," playing the role created by Edna Wallace Hopper. Her latest work was with the "Glittering Gloria" company, the tour of which included a trip to the Pacific coast, where the unfortunate actress lost her life.

CHRISTMAS PIANOS AT HALF USUAL PRICES

Ambuhl Bros. Being Obliged to Close Their Charleroi Store, Ship Entire Stock of Instruments to Pittsburgh—Are Now Forced to Dispose of It All Quickly to Make Room for Extensive Christmas Stock Arriving Daily.

CHOICE BARGAINS FOR NEXT 10 DAYS

For reasons best known to themselves, Ambuhl Bros. recently found it necessary to close the branch store that they had located at 412 Fallowfield Ave., Charleroi, Pa., and as it was impossible for them to quickly dispose of as large a stock as they had there, in Charleroi, they were obliged to ship it to their main store in Pittsburgh.

A new difficulty now confronts them. This Charleroi stock is quite large, and, although their Pittsburgh store is six stories high, and they occupy the whole of it, still they carry about two hundred instruments in stock here at all times, which in itself leaves but little room for the eighty instruments shipped in from Charleroi, and besides all this, their extensive Christmas stock, which was ordered long ago, is arriving daily from the their Pittsburgh store is, it is much too various factories; consequently, large as small to accommodate all the instruments they now find on their hands, and in transit.

Their plan now out of the difficulty is to inaugurate a special clearing sale of this Charleroi stock, and by selling it off at retail at actual wholesale cost and in some instances even less than cost, get rid of it all within the next ten days.

This stock that is to be sacrificed during the next ten days is composed of some of the best makes of pianos in the market, among them being the Kimball, Chickering Bros., Steinway, Hallet & Davis, Hardman, Mendelssohn, Capen, Whitney and other good instruments. To be sure, some of them are shopworn, and some of them are even second-hand, still some of them are entirely new, and on the whole are the greatest piano values ever offered the Pittsburgh public.

There is one lot of pianos in this stock that are going to be sold for $210 each, that are not to be duplicated for the price anywhere in the country. They are full size, in Golden Oak, Mahogany, and French Walnut finish cases, seven and one-third octaves, and all modern improvements. They are made by the famous Kimball Co., the same firm that made the great Cathedral organ, also the organs recently sold to the Shadyside Presbyterian Church, St. Michael's Roman Catholic Church, Bellevue Presbyterian Church and thirty-five more of the leading churches of this vicinity. These pianos are practically new, and the full term Kimball guarantee will go with each one, making them beyond a doubt the greatest bargains ever offered in this city.

Parties having children they would like to start in music, but do not care to risk much money on the experiment, and still would like to have a dependable piano, will find this an excellent opportunity.

Another lot of beautiful $400 pianos, extra large sizes, regular cabinet grands, in various woods, have only been on the floor in Charleroi a short time, so could hardly be called anything but new—will be sold for $258 each. Nothing of the kind was ever offered at prices anywhere near this.

Parties having the money to pay cash will find this the opportunity they have been waiting for.

Small monthly payments of from $8 to $10 per month can also be arranged for if desired, as every instrument in this Charleroi stock must be sold.

One especially rare bargain to be had out of this Charleroi stock is a magnificent Steinway upright. It is a little second-hand, but still has all of that rare sweetness of tone for which this make is so justly noted. The case is also in excellent condition, and all that will be asked for it is $250.

Another is one of those old reliable Kranich & Bach uprights, second-hand, but still very fine. This will be sold for $185.

There are also several new instruments in this stock, the kind that are sold by all dealers in the country over for $225 to $275. They must be sold quickly, so will go for $163, $168 to $178.

Still others in more elaborate cases that are always sold at $225 and $250, fully guaranteed and excellent instruments in every particular, will be sold for $178 and $195.

There are also a few very choice Kimball, Chickering Bros. and Hallet & Davis Pianos among this Charleroi stock, that, although they are a little shopworn, might easily be mistaken for entirely new. However, they have never been sold, and in every instance are in perfect order. They will be closed out at $260, $338 and $365. The original price of some of them was $500 and $550.

Here are many of the best makes of Reed Organs, Kimball, Crown, Estey, Pelaubet, Clough & Warren, Lakeside, Bridgeport, Sterling and Cornish, some entirely new, and some second-hand, but every one in perfect order. They are all going to be sold if cut prices will do it, hence the following: $40 organs for $18, $50 organs for $22, $60 organs for $28, $90 organs for $43 and $150 organs for $68.

These organs are exceptional bargains at these prices, and should be sold only for cash, but payments of $3 to $5 per month can be arranged for.

Some choice piano players of the good makes are also included in this stock, and as it all must be disposed of, they will go with it.

An excellent player of one of the best makes, with a good supply of music, the kind that is sold every day by one of the Fifth Ave. houses for $250, will be sold for $155.

Christmas will soon be here, and many people will naturally be buying something in the line of a piano, organ or piano player for Christmas presents. This, therefore, comes in an opportune time, for while it is yet a little time off, still, at the prices reliable instruments can be had, at this sale, one could well afford to pay storage on an instrument for a few days, or put it in the house of a friend until Chrisimas Eve.

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BIGELOW FAILED TO GET QUORUM

Policemen Searched in Vain for the Absent Members of Select Council.

METER ORDINANCES HELD UP

Director Bigelow failed to make good his boast he would win in select council yesterday, by securing the passage of the meter ordinances. The director of public works was not even able to get a quorum, although he was zealously aided by his lieutenants and two policemen. Although requests were sent to members by telephone and messengers, there were only 14 present when the roll was first called and 15 on the second roll call. The meeting was called for 3 o'clock, but it was 3:25 when it was called to order.

At that moment there were 11 other members in the rotunda of city hall, on the first floor, and on the staircases. When they heard the sound of President Wightman's gavel these 11 members disappeared as if by magic. Five minutes later, when two big policemen were sent downstairs to arrest them and take them to the council chamber, not a single one of the missing select councilmen was in sight. When the roll was called the following 14 members answered: P. J. Barry, Booth, Costello, Douglas, Gallagher, Hermes, Kearns, William McKelvey, Schlernitzauer, Schneider, Sweeney, Upperman, West, Wightman. Dr. W. H. McKelvy appeared later.

President Wightman announced that only 14 members were present six short of a quorum.

"I move that we take a recess of 15 minutes," said West.

"I move to amend by sending out the sergeants-at-arms to bring the members who are outside to the meeting," said Douglas. "There is a quorum downstairs."

Wightman declared the motion carried, and the two policemen, acting as sergeants-at-arms, were dispatched for the missing councilmen. They searched the building as far as city hall steps, and then came back and reported they could find none of the quorum breakers. President Wightman then ordered them to search the Hotel Duquesne barroom. The policemen did so with no better result. They came back the second time and reported to President Wightman. Douglas asked if the policemen knew the members of select council. Wightman put this question to them and stated

"One of them says he knows several members and that they were accompanied on their search by representatives of the newspapers who know all of the members." The reporters denied that they had offered any suggestions to the policemen, merely going along to see what would happen if the officers should meet a councilman.

After the policemen reported their second failure President Wightman said that five minutes remained of the 15 minutes voted for a recess and the members remained until the five minutes expired. Then the meeting was declared adjourned. Wightman said he did not know when another meeting would be called.

S. G. Lennox, the newly-elected member from the Seventeenth ward to succeed A. H. Leslie, was present to be sworn in, but he had the same experience that P. F. Toole twice had before he was admitted to membership. The oath could not be administered when there was no quorum, and an immense bunch of red roses, which had been placed on Lennox's desk by admirers, was taken from the council chamber.

Among the members in the city hall yesterday who absented themselves from the meeting were Burns, Cavett, Fredericks, Friedman, Howarth, Manion, Thomas O'Brien, Ruhlandt, Schempp, Shenkel and Walters.

One of the councilmen stated that he remained away because the representatives of the Plumbers' association claimed they were not yet ready with the data which they desired to present to councils, and had asked for more time. They said the two weeks given them to prepare information had not been sufficient.

Other members confidentially assigned entirely different reasons, alleging that a "combination" had been formed by the members and that the lack of preparation by the plumbers was offered only as an excuse to hide the actual cause of breaking a quorum. They state that the sum of $2,000,000 is involved in the passage of the meter ordinances, and put up the claim that the administration should not have full power to dispose of this as it pleases, without consulting councils.

ANOTHER PROJECT OF ROENIGK'S IS KILLED

Common Council Buries Public Utility Ordinance for Term—Defeated by Votes of Citizens.

Another project of Councilman A. G. Roenigk of the Twentieth ward was killed last night by the votes of administration members of common council. This was the only incident of interest at the meeting. Roenigk had made an industrious canvass among the members, entreating them to vote for the reconsideration of his public utility ordinance which had been indefinitely postponed at a previous meeting of council when Roenigk was absent.

At his request Hogue moved to reconsider the bill, but the motion was defeated by a vote of 14 ayes to 21 noes. Twelve citizens voted against the motion and defeated it. This kills the ordinance for the entire term of the present councils, as under the rules it cannot again be called up.

Roenigk had a similar experience a few months ago with his ordinance to establish artesian wells in front of public schools and at various other points throughout the city. He was promised by the administration that the measure would be passed and, to secure his support of administration bills then pending in common council, the artesian well ordinance was passed by that branch, but it was promptly killed as soon as it got to select council by the votes of administration members.

"Why do your citizens colleagues kill every bill you present to councils?" he was asked last night.

"I don't know," was Roenigk's response.

"How do you feel about it?"

"Oh, it is bitter medicine, but I guess I will have to take it," he said.

The 12 citizens who prevented the reconsideration of his public utility ordinance last night were Bright, Collins, Frankel, Hughes, Mathews, McKelvey, McNally, Pfannkuch, Porter, Simon, Taylor and Walls.

The ordinance requiring all city printing to be done by local firms with shops within the city limits, recommended by the finance committee, was passed finally, as were the ordinances for the public sale of 14 lots owned by the city, the one consenting to the annexation of Sterrett township, and granting firemen two weeks' vacation. From the public works and the surveys committee a large number of grading, paving and curbing and sewer bills were passed.

Charles Gulland introduced an ordinance providing that streets and avenues of all plans of lots hereafter presented to councils for approval or dedication shall not be less than 40 feet in width and alleys not less than 20 feet in width. Gulland had an ordinance authorizing a contract by the city with the Pennsylvania Water Company to supply additional fire plugs in the Thirty-seventh ward referred to a special committee of three for investigation. On this committee were appointed Gulland, Brand and Helmold.

President Ward appointed Helmold, Taylor and Gulland on the special committee to prepare a new city digest.

Will Discuss the Girty Brothers.

The Girtys, notorious during the revolution and the subsequent Indian wars, were once residents of Pittsburgh. One of the brothers, Thomas, and a half-brother, John Turner, died and were buried in this city. At the meeting of the Historical society, this evening, Thomas L. Rodgers will read a paper on the life and character of these brothers. E. W. Hassler, the secretary, will present a paper on "John Fraser, the First Settler in Western Pennsylvania." The meeting will be held in select council chamber, city hall, at 8 o'clock, and a cordial invitation is extended to the public.

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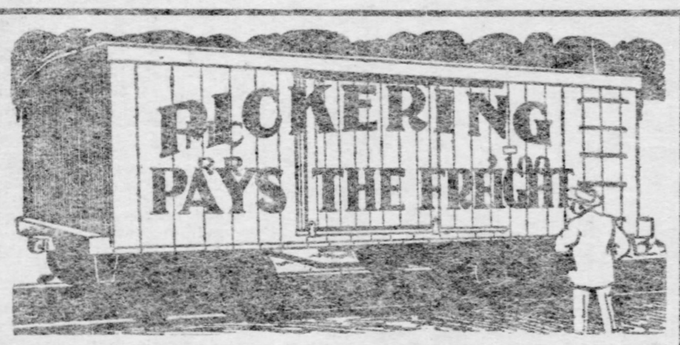

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Tuesday, November 15, 1904.

The breaking of a select council quorum yesterday afternoon is attributed to the influence of the plumbers' union, but it is difficult to figure out what interest they would have in holding up the meter ordinances. Of course, if the city installs the meters, the master plumbers lose any business they now get in the way of installing meters at the expense of consumers, but that cannot amount to much. So far as the journeymen plumbers are concerned, the holding up of the ordinances cuts them out of a great deal of work, as the operations of the water department in this line will necessarily give employment to many plumbers.

The pilgrimages of the Philadelphia liberty bell afford an opportunity for the mayor and other officials of that city to take an occasional junket. They have now gone to St. Louis to guard that historic relic on its return to the Quaker City. As a traveling relic the bell is quite a novelty in this country, and if the custom of carting it out to every exhibition or celebration continues it might as well be mounted on wheels and have a regular guard selected for its protection. The historic associations of the bell, however, are connected with Philadelphia, and its removal to Chicago and St. Louis is much like the transplanting of the Lincoln cabin or of Andersonville prison for show purposes.

The beef trust is on trial before the interstate commerce commissioners on the charge that it has violated the injunction of the federal court and allowed rebates to certain railroads in violation of the law to protect the consumer. The government relies most on the evidence of the cattle dealers to sustain its charges and expects to prove that the reason for the maintenance of high prices is the willingness of the people to pay them, for beef on the hoof is plentiful and cheap. The commissioners say that about 250,000 carloads of live stock go into Chicago every year, and if it is true that there is a rebate of from $5 to $20 a car, which goes indirectly to the trust, the prevailing high prices for meat can be explained. The packing house strike, moreover, raised prices much as did the miners' strike the price of coal and the process of restoring the old price basis has been slow.

Eugene F. Ware has really resigned at last as pension commissioner and is to retire January 1. The lawyer and poet who wrote under the pseudonym of "Ironquil" was never happy over his transfer from Kansas to a desk in the pension bureau, and rumors of his resignation have been frequent. Undoubtedly he found it a difficult task to please the veterans and at the same time live up to his sense of official duty for the most conscientious pension commissioners have been subject to organized attacks by participants of the government bounty. The commissioner has so much discretion that he cannot quote the letter of a law to defend his decisions, and there are always interested attorneys to criticise his work. But Mr. Ware has been much freer from abuse than his predecessor, H. C. Evans, who was practically forced out by the clamor raised against him.

In Luzerne county 700 school teachers have organized to resist "graft." They complain they have been compelled to pay political assessments and submit to other forms of grafting in order to retain their places. At their recent annual convention they agreed to fight graft unitedly in whatever form it may appear and to individually expose any demands made upon them. This is a good movement and should have good results. The welfare of the public schools demands that teachers should be employed, retained and advanced upon merit alone, and every effort to subject them to blackmail is not merely a blow at the individual but at the profession and at the schools themselves. Popular sentiment favors better salaries for teachers and will support them in resisting graft in every form.

For the late appearance of the annual statistical report of the American Iron and Steel association, the editor, the Hon. James M. Swank, offers the explanation that the task of preparation has grown extremely difficult. The growth of these industries in the United States is without parallel. The addition of new branches of production enlarge the statistical compilations enormously, and Mr. Swank suggests curtailment of details in the report to relieve the pressure. The volume, however, is of so much value and interest that this course will hardly appeal to the membership. Another way out will be to increase the office force of the association, though this method is not suggested by Mr. Swank. The statistical report is an accurate compendium of information pertaining to the world's production of iron and steel, invaluable to all who are engaged in or connected intimately with the industry. Its value depends greatly upon the supervision of its expert editor and much of it demands his personal effort, yet it may be possible to keep up the fullness of detail and get out the edition earlier by giving him more assistance. That, of course, is for the association to decide.

The Memorial Hall.

The court has fixed November 30 as the date for a hearing in the matter of the erection of a memorial hall in honor of the soldiers and sailors of Allegheny county. The erection of the memorial has been recommended by the grand jury and the court must pass upon the recommendation according to the act of assembly. Judge Evans has expressed doubt as to the constitutionality of the law and has requested attorneys in the case to prepare argument on that feature of the case.

The determination to go into this branch of the subject will give widespread satisfaction. Much astonishment has been felt at the idea that a scheme involving the appropriation of a million dollars, no matter how meritorious in character, could be put through with no more authorization from the taxpayers than a grand jury recommendation and the approval of the judge receiving it. It is quite true that such is the procedure in ordinary affairs of county administration, but the erection of a million-dollar memorial is not an ordinary affair and is not part of the proper duties of county administration. Moreover, such a procedure detracts from the public character of the memorial. In order to be a genuine expression of the feelings of the people of Allegheny county some way should have been provided by which they can declare themselves upon the subject.

It will be noticed that at the very time when this million-dollar appropriation is being urged the argument is being used in behalf of the scheme to deform the court house that to provide additional room by erecting another building would cost too much. If the county is in a position to spend so much money upon a monument, it can surely afford an appropriation for what is unquestionably the public business. Perhaps the two undertakings might be combined and a hall of records be erected that would be at once a commemoration of the patriotic services of the men of Allegheny county and also a depository of all county records.

But, at any rate, when it is proposed to spend a million dollars for a purpose outside of the routine of county business it does not seem to be in accord with constitutional government to appropriate the money without express authorization from the people. The legislature is about to meet, and whatever enabling act may be needed to submit the matter to the people at the next county election may be procured. Not only will this be the fair way of deciding the question, but it will give the erection of such a memorial a public significance which it cannot otherwise possess.

Equalizing Representation.

Gov. Vardaman says that he is not opposed to reduction of southern congressional representation in accordance with the provisions of the Fourteenth amendment provided that at the same time the Fifteenth amendment is repealed.

There is nothing new in that position, which annexes an impracticable condition to a practical question of legislation. It takes the concurrent action of two-thirds majorities in both houses of congress and the approval of three-fourths of the states to amend the Constitution, while appropriate legislation by congress will enforce the Fourteenth amendment.

As a matter of fact, the Fifteenth amendment is a nullity in practice. It prohibits abridgement of the suffrage "on account of race, color or previous condition of servitude." Southern states have nevertheless abolished negro suffrage by imposing conditions not in terms prohibited by the Constitution, but which come to the same thing. And the supreme court has held that a state may prescribe such qualifications as it sees fit provided the forbidden discriminations are not made. Hence even "the grandfather clause" has not been found obnoxious to the Fifteenth amendment. Although, as a general rule, destructive of negro suffrage, it is not absolutely so, as there was a sprinkling of free persons of color in the south before the war, so that theoretically it is possible that even "the grandfather clause" may admit some negroes and thus fall short of the absolute discrimination on the ground of race and color prohibited by the Fifteenth amendment. It is a small loophole but it serves.

The Fourteenth amendment does not question the right of the states to attach such conditions to the suffrage as may seem desirable, but it provides that when male suffrage is in any way abridged the basis of representation in congress shall be proportionately reduced. This raises not a black man's question, but a white man's question, namely, shall less than 5,000 votes in South Carolina, or 1,500 votes in Mississippi remain the electoral equivalent of more than 35,000 votes in Ohio or New York? Shall it take six votes in New York to equal the representation in congress and in the electoral college enjoyed by a single voter in South Carolina?

Declarations by southern leaders that consideration of this matter raises the race issue and involves also the Fifteenth amendment falsifies the issue.

The Consent of the Governed.

While there has been much ado about the case of the Philippines on the question whether the principle of the consent of the governed justifies American sovereignty, little attention has been paid to the really practical question whether that principle is respected in the place where it really belongs, as conditioning the exercise of American sovereignty in determining the kind of government which the Philippines should have.

If consent of the governed is identified with the existence of representative institutions, we have no right to regard the Chinese as being exceptional in the obtuse conservatism which makes them think every kind of government barbarous save that to which they are accustomed. The consent of the governed may be shown in contented acquiescence as well as in majorities at the polls, and the latter appliance of government is at least of doubtful value if it does not lead to contentment. If in practice it is subversive of it there is room for argument that the principle of the consent of the governed is in effect violated.

Upon this point an article in the latest issue of the Atlantic Monthly is instructive. The author, Mr. Alleyne Ireland, has traveled extensively in tropical dependencies and has made a special study of colonial administration. While giving great credit to the honesty of purpose which has characterized our administration in the Philippines, he remarks:

"In attempting to build a tropical government on the theory that so-called 'popular' institutions can ever recommend themselves as an ideal to the natives of a tropical country, the fact is overlooked or ignored that, in the thousands of years during which the natives of the tropics were left to themselves, to develop whatever political institutions appeared best suited to them, there was never established a single government which was not purely autocratic in character. When we attempt to force democratic institutions or corporate government upon tropical peoples we simply assume, without any warrant whatever, that we know better than they do what form of government is best for them."

It is at least certain that something is radically wrong in our treatment of the Philippines. Results there do not compare favorably with what Russia has accomplished among the tribes of Central Asia or with what Japan is doing in Formosa. Items like the one appearing in today's news, relating to the ambushing and slaughter of ten persons in Samar appear too frequently to justify the belief that our methods of administration are conducive to popular content. Perhaps we should do better if we tried to govern them in the way they want to be governed instead of in the way we think they ought to be governed. That is to say, we should apply unflinchingly the principle of the consent of the governed, even if it should mean the setting up of native governors to rule their people under our advice but according to their own institutions of authority.

Water Rate Reduction Obstructed.

No municipal neglect has cost Pittsburgh so much as the failure of councils to install the meter system forthwith, as recommended by the filtration commission of 1896. In setting forth the necessity of immediate action these prophetic words were used:

"Should the present unrestricted use of water be allowed to continue, a filter plant as proposed will have been outgrown almost before it is completed, and additions will require to follow each other on a scale and with the frequency which can hardly be estimated."

Just exactly that result has followed. It has become necessary to double the size of the plant and the cost has increased from $3,000,000 to $7,500,000. The waste is increasing with startling rapidity and the first step is yet to be taken toward installing the water meter system. Other cities which took up the matter later have made great progress. In Cleveland the saving of expense is such that the city now furnishes water at the rate of 5½ cents per 1,000 gallons, while the assessment rates in Pittsburgh are so high that taxpayers save money by putting in meters at their own expense and paying 18 cents per 1,000 gallons for the water.

The difficulty of getting councils to consider the interests of the common people in this matter was again illustrated last night by the action of a sufficient number of councilmen in staying away to leave select council without a quorum, so that no action could be taken on the pending ordinances.

A German vice admiral in a public lecture defended Admiral Rojestvensky in attacking the Hull trawlers in view of the warnings of intended Japanese attacks upon the Russian fleet and the ease with which trawlers or other vessels could be fitted with torpedo tubes. The steady encouragement given to Russia by official Germany reminds one of Uncle Remus' story of how Bre'r Rabbit whooped it up for Mr. Wolf when he went after Mr. Wild Cat. "Whirl in and tear him to pieces," shouted Bre'r Rabbit. When it was over Bre'r Rabbit remarked: "'Clar to gracious, Bre'r Wolf; it look as if dat owdacious scoundrel gone and bit you wid a reapin' hook." And then Bre'r Rabbit went off and laughed as if he would never get through.

Another section of the Russian navy is sailing from the Baltic sea and particular precautions have been taken for its safety. British trawlers had better stay in port while it is passing.

At last the steamship rate war is ended. The companies apparently believe that American business prospects will now be sufficient to maintain their emigrant trade from Europe.

There are to be more prosecutions of aldermen and justices of the peace. Next thing we know some constables will get caught.

Bryan may be trying to form a new party, though his most conspicuous success to date has been in wrecking an old one.

Russia gives no encouragement to peace talk. Too sore from the drubbing received at the hands of a once despised enemy.

While the destruction of the wires by the eastern storm causes inconvenience there is relief from some things.

If the Citizens party is compelled to support Controller Larkin for re-election it will be a dish of sour crow.

In criminal annals there appears to be more than one construction of the title, "committing magistrate."

An extra session of congress is possible for next year to adjust a few things that need a mending.

Tom Watson is not satisfied. He is still pounding the reorganized Democracy.

West of the Allegheny mountains it is rendered: "Oh, I don't gnow."

Dr. S. E. Woodburn is no advocate of hal measures.

Careful Reporting.

An article appeared in a recent issue of The Pittsburgh Gazette which deserves from us more than passing notice. This school is frequently "written up" by representatives of the city papers, and while the articles are always fair in tone the inaccuracies that get into them are amusing at times and at other times provoking. The fact is the education of the deaf is a difficult subject for the average man to understand. Newspaper men with all their training fail to grasp many of the things said to them and the result is oftentimes very funny. But the article referred to was altogether different. It was more than two columns long and from beginning to end was a clear story of the work done here. If more such articles were printed the public would have a better conception of the deaf and their work.—Western Pennsylvanian, the official paper of the Western Pennsylvania Institution for the Deaf and Dumb.

Long and Valuable Service.

Mr. Cooper of this journal thanks the citizens for his handsome vote and majority. This election will make his service in the legislature longer than that of any man in the history of the state. Indeed, it was that before, but it was not continuous.—Delaware County American.

About Noted People

The Offer to Mr. Hoar.

Moreton Frewen, an English publicist, writes some interesting reminiscences concerning Senator Hoar in the November number of the National Review. Among them is the following incident in connection with the late senator's attitude on the Philippine question and his refusal to consider a proposition to run for president on that issue:

"I cannot in the pages of this Review do more than note Mr. Hoar's attitude on the question of the Philippines. He was no expansionist; he had come into very sharp collision with his party, and he was quite irreconcilable. In 1900 it was suggested to me, being a friend and a foreigner, to sound him as to whether, if the electoral issue was made squarely on the lines of a faithful construction of the Constitution, and no colonial expansion, he would accept the presidential nomination at the hands of the Democratic party. He met the suggestion with the most uncompromising negative, and with a not too complimentary recapitulation of Democratic achievement in the past. I then proceeded to express my own view and hope that perhaps America might yet be destined to do the great work in China that England had done in India; that she also might take up 'the White Man's Burden.' But he argued the contrary with an almost pained insistence; "we have no trained civil service such as England has; we have no material out of which to create such a service; we have a rigid paper Constitution impossible to adapt; our responsibilities on this continent, especially the growth of our responsibilities in South America, are infinite." His splendid New England conservatism was in full revolt, and could never be reconciled to these oversea adventures."

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Gen. Alexei Nicholavitch Kuropatkin and a staff of Russian officers enjoyed the hospitality of the emperor of Japan a little over a year ago. It was in June, 1903, that the Russian minister of war, the now world-famous general, journeyed to China and Japan to attend the important conference held at Port Arthur to talk over the Russian position in the far east. All the Russian high officials then stationed in North China and Manchuria, including the Russian minister to China, were present, and to show this distinguished gathering honor the mikado extended a special invitation to Gen. Kuropatkin and his staff to cross to Tokyo and enjoy an entertainment, however brief, at the hands of his imperial representatives. Though the time of the Russian members of the conference was somewhat limited, they decided to avail themselves of the invitation so courteously extended, and this is how it happened about 15 months ago that Russian and Japanese soldiers of the highest rank, who are now using every effort to annihilate each other, drank tea together in the friendliest manner on now hostile soil. According to the oriental custom, when the noble officer, representing the czar of all the Russias, called upon the mikado in response to the latter's polite and official summons cups of fragrant pale colored Japanese tea were passed to the guests assembled in the royal tea garden. The occasion was an important one from a political standpoint, so the officers of each country were their handsomest uniforms and all the medals they could boast collectively.

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Commander Booth-Tucker, who has been for the past eight years in charge of the Salvation Army in America, will sail for England on the White Star steamship Oceanic tomorrow to take up his work as foreign secretary of the army, a position which he held before his assignment to this country. Commander Booth-Tucker's great work in the United States has been a colonization scheme which he inaugurated four years ago. The Salvation Army has colonies in Colorado, California and Ohio, where industrious persons of small means have been enabled to get a good start in life. These colonies cover 3,000 acres of land, and the settlers number 530. The army is in a very prosperous condition. During Commander Booth-Tucker's incumbency the social institutions for the poor have increased from 25 to 267, and the annual expenditure for relief from $20,0000 to $900,000. There was one hotel for women in 1896, now there are seven; one orphanage, where now there are eight; seven rescue homes against twenty-one now, and three workingmen's homes to eighty now. The army in 1896 provided 200,000 night's lodgings. This year it has furnished 5,000,000. There were 500,000 meals supplied to the starving in 1896, while in 1904 there have been 1,000,000. Sailors' homes, industrial homes for the unemployed, and employment bureaus have been established during Booth-Tucker's time, and a great financial system for caring for these interests has grown up. The new commander, Eva Booth, who is to be welcomed in New York city at a great meeting in Carnegie hall on December 6, will find a very different field from the one turned over to Booth-Tucker by his predecessor in 1896.

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Probably no man was better known among the yachtsmen of the world than Designer Watson, who died Saturday. Since he was a small boy he had been designing boats of every kind and description, and it has been said of him that he "had a yacht in his head." His chief fame, however, rested in his production of the Thistle, Valkyrie and Shamrock II., all challengers for the America cup. At an early age he showed a decided inclination for the naval architect's profession. He was apprenticed to the Messrs. Napier, the Glasgow shipbuilders, for the purpose of becoming a draughtsman. Then he was only 16 years old. He was subsequently employed at another large shipbuilding firm, the Messrs. Inglis at Pointhouse, where he further perfected himself in his chosen profession. Finding more attraction in designing and building yachts, he left the Messrs. Inglis in 1874 and set himself up at Glasgow as a naval architect, especially devoting himself to the turning out of yachts. Watson also designed some noted steam yachts, chief among them being the Foras, the Hermione, at one time the fastest yacht in Great Britain; and the Amy, May, Mohican and Vanduara. In recent years Watson found time to devote a great deal of attention to the improvement of coast lifeboats, a subject in which he was greatly interested.

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Mrs. Phoebe Hearst has cut off all her donations, including her support of the University of California and her philanthropies in Albany, New York, Washington and elsewhere. While it was assumed that her reason for this retrenchment was because of heavy expenses incurred in her son's campaign for the nomination for the presidency, those who know her best declare this is untrue. Others have suggested that she is displeased because her generosity is not better appreciated, but she gives no reason for curtailing her charities. She has given up her home in Washington and gone to live with her son in New York city. It is said that she has been deprived of her largest source of income by the decision of certain interests to spend half their earnings for improvements and that she has been assessed by managers of other investments. It is estimated that her gifts to the California University alone amounted to over $1,250,000. A few years ago she decided to have all the buildings erected in harmony with each other and to plan a model college community by developing a general scheme which would provide for all time. She opened an international competition between architects for the plans and this example stimulated other colleges to undertake a similar idea. She has provided for special departments and for explorations, while President Wheeler has felt at liberty to call on her for the various needs of the institution as they arose. It is needless to say that the college will be seriously crippled by her decision to withhold further funds for the present. Many other charities maintained by her will suffer in a similar way.

IT IS TO SMILE.

Mrs. Malaprop—Yes, we're still infested with with burglars in our neighborhood.

Mrs. Brown—But they captured one of them yesterday, didn't they?

Mrs. Malaprop—O! no, they had to release that fellow off. He was able to prove a lullaby, I believe.—Philadelphia Press.

A professor in California university announces that poetry affects the heart beats. If that be true one or two modern laureates may cause heart failure.—New York Herald.

Uncle Sam, reports the census bureau, has 271,169 persons working for him. Space might be saved by omitting the preposition "for."—Puck.

Jones (at the bank)—Must I be identified?

Teller—Not unless you wish—the check is no good!—Town Topics.

The Quiet Observer.

By ERASMUS WILSON.

There are poets and poets, but many of them are not real poets.

A really, truly poet is worth while, even though his efforts are somewhat crude, his song lumpy in places and out of tune by spells.

You see the poet, although born that way, has to crawl before he can walk, and spell before he can read. Therefore we must needs be a bit patient and as helpful toward him as possible.

Then there are those who imagine they are poets and seem bent on compelling us to recognize them as such. They write verse more or less cleverly and occasionally get off a good thing—a diamond in the scrap pile, so to speak.

A clever versifier is far more endurable than a pretentious poet who neither writes good sense nor good nonsense. Indeed, the clever versifier is quite an agreeable fellow, so much so that he is fully entitled to live on the face of the earth and to enjoy the privileges usually accorded to good fellows.

The clever versifier is the herald who goes through the wilderness of men preparing the way for the more favored child of the muses who shall sing of the beauties and the joys of life, and of its cheerful promises of still better things to come.

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The real poet is one who can express our own feelings better than we can express them ourselves. He can also tell us things which we really like to hear, and to which we never tire of listening. His songs, like mother's cradle songs, never become old or tiresome, but are ever new and ever welcome.

He sings our love songs, for which we feel most grateful.

Have you ever tried to write love song, or even to indite a quatrain to your lover? If so, you have realized ere this and oftimes, maybe, what a blessing a real poet really is to the world.

Love has been his master theme since time began; and it will be whispered by the last poet with his latest breath.

God is love.

He that sings of love, pure and simple love, sings of all that is good. His songs are preachments that we feel in our hearts, and that tend to lift up our souls into the good world where love and friendship dwell forever.

Therefore, don't imagine for a moment that the poet is not from heaven sent on a most wholesome and important mission. He comes to tell you the things you want to know, to materialize the feelings of your heart so that you may express them in words.

Receive the poet kindly, therefore, for he will prove himself a good friend.

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The newspaper poet, and he is becoming very numerous, is a great educator, although he may not be a great poet, not yet. He writes to a class of people, and it is a large class, to whom no other writer can appeal with such marked effect.

If the newspaper poet be honest and true he will tell his people many things they will be the better for knowing, and whether they desire it or not, or even expect it, they will be gradually taught along lines that will lead them to higher and more pleasant levels.

The newspaper poet is an educator, a great educator, and these progressive times need him in its business.

Among the many poets and humorists who have risen to prominence within a few years is S. W. Gillilan of the Baltimore American. His "stuff," for that is the newspaper name for all such matter, is widely copied and extensively clipped and pasted.

Mr. Gillilan does not pose as a Byron or a Keats, or Longfellow, only as a good fellow, and being a clean, wholesome man he must do a lot of good, and that is what he wants to do.

Our Star lecture course was fortunate enough to book him for a date only a few weeks hence.

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Following is one of his preachments which will give you an idea of how he does it. To call it a sermon might spoil it for a good many of those who profess not to like sermons. And there are a lot of people who boast that they don't like sermons. The fact that they do so boast proves most conclusively that they need them, and need them badly.

The mission of newspaper poets, such as Gillilan, Riser, Nesbet and others, is to preach sermons to this particular class:

THE BOOTIST'S FINISH.

When he was small he used to dream
Beside the velvet-bordered stream
Of some sweet day when he should be
On Fame's proud pinnacle; for he,
In his supreme simplicity,
Had yearnings for publicity.

When he'd attained to riper years
The world's applause assailed his ears;
The more that siren voice he heard
The more he dwelt on every word:
It thrilled like electricity,
This glorious boon—publicity!

At length a passion it became—
This morbid yearning after Fame;
No matter what she might require,
He laid it calmly on her pyre,
What caused this elasticity
Of conscience? Craved publicity!
The passion to a mania grew;
From freak to freak this madman flew;
He lost his love for home and friends,
Cared not for how he gained his ends—
Gave up his domesticity
In struggling for publicity.
Betimes his moral footsteps strayed
In paths forbidden; he had laid
Upon the altar of his god
His all, at grim Ambition's nod,
He turned to plain duplicity
In following publicity.
The world is never long deceived
Or over mortals' doings grieved;
And when the truth was brought to light
This miscreant, with terror white,
Plead guilty to complicity—
That gave him more publicity.
There is a sermon in this tale—
To grasp it not a soul should fail.
The thirst to see one's name displayed
Full many a worthy man's betrayed.
Sometimes in infelicity
It brings about publicity.

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And then there are new ones coming on, some of whom give promise of better things, the tendency being to greater seriousness.

Following is one received only a few days since accompanied by a letter in which the author shows that he writes not for the fun of the thing, nor for fame alone, but because he feels that he has something to say—a message to deliver, as it were. If it be true that he has been entrusted with a message to the world he will find no peace of mind nor rest of heart until he shall have delivered it:

AFTER THE BATTLE.

Now fades the day upon the sight portent;
Along the heath, and out upon the field,
Where furled ire, in slaughter, lately bient,
A potent hand triumphant sceptres wield.

From many a wound the ruddy current drips,
And over all a languid quiet steals,
Save that, where yet upon the parched lips,
A parting sigh some fretted hope reveals.

O'er many a heart a sacred tribute lies,
Reread, reopened: just a word from home;
Perhaps these lips had formed their fond replies,
Now mute and dumb, save for a bitter moan.

Some hand a curl of matted hair entwines;
A faded likeness bides a gaping scar;
The flag, yet grasped, o'er foe and friend inclines,
With many a read and many a crimson star.

For them no more the revelle shall beat;
No more shall these the bugle call inspire;
Where now they lie, in many a massive heap,
The valiant flames of gallant lives expire.

How many mothers 'wait their sons' return,
And sweethearts, too, alike await in vain!
How many hearths with glowing embers burn
For absent ones that never come again!

Adown the path, the self-same way he went,
Some lover lingers when the ships come in;
Not one was spared; no message has he sent;
Thus fleet the days, and yet no word of him.

Perchance some day some roving soul will find
Upon the turf a sign of carrion bone,
Where now they rest, uncoffined and confined
In some dread spot, far distant and unknown.

HARRY S. BLACKBURN.

West Newton, Pa.

Around the State

Down on the Farm.

It certainly looks as though turkey will be a luxury to most of us on Thanksgiving. Farmers are now asking 12 cents a pound wholesale for the bird and by Thanksgiving time they will be likely much higher. They are said to be scarce this year on account of the dump and cool weather of early summer which was not favorable to young turkeys.—Kittanning News.

There was the usual activity about the street market this morning. Those in quest of fresh eggs were disappointed. The failure of the hens to lay is attributed to the excitement incident to election. The prevailing prices for eggs are from 28 to 31 cents the dozen. Turkeys dressed were offered for 25 cents the pound, ducks 20 cents and young chickens 18 cents the pound.—Warren Mirror.

J. W. Burkholder is husking corn. He says that his corn crop will be near 1,000 bushels. J. W. is taking the lead in this place for farming this year. He avers that as soon as he gets through husking corn he will put the boys to work husking pumpkins.—Schwebing Correspondence.

Most farmers are feeding their stock as they do in the depth of winter. Pastures have given out. Wheat has made a very poor start. People are husking their corn early. It will likely mold in the crib.—High House Cor. Fayette Republican.

Abraham Strausser of Bloomsburg, Pa., for a number of years has made a study of the weather, winds and moon to such a degree that he has earned a reputation as a successful weather prophet. During a number of years past he has foretold what the coming seasons would be like and it was seldom that his prophecy was wrong. Strausser says that the winter is regulated by the wind on the 29th day of September. When the wind is from the north the winter will be long and cold. When it is from the east there will be a great deal of snow. When the winds are variable the winter will be open and sloppy, and wind from the south and west indicates a mild winter. The wind on the above date came continually from the south and west without a particle of variation, and you can put it down that we will have a mild winter, with little snow.—Somerset Herald.

The March of Progress.

A large transaction in local timber land was closed on Wednesday, being nothing less than the sale to a firm of enterprising lumbermen, Fisher & Newton, of the entire Huidekoper farm in Vernon township, directly across French creek from Meadville. The farm contains 750 acres, old measure, and will probable overrun at least 50 acres. Nearly, if not quite 500 acres of this is covered with timber, a large part of it with as fine white oak as there is standing in Northwestern Pennsylvania. There is also some chestnut, red oak, ash, poplar and other timber in small quantities. The farm lands adjoining the Fifth ward of Meadville on the Cussewago flats, a few lots in that ward, and the side hill farm with its great red barn, are a part of the land sold. The price paid is in the neighborhood of $55 an acre, or about $40,000 for the entire tract, which is the last of the outlying farm lands of the Edgar Huidekoper estate.—Crawford Journal.

Years ago the late Dr. Binkerd of Millers Eddy, a short distance below West Monterey on the Allegheny river, conceived the same idea that has engaged the attention of latter-day horticulturists—that a seedless apple could be as successfully produced as a seedless orange. His line of experiments in grafting and transplanting seedlings resulted in the production of a seedless apple in size and flavor greatly resembling the ever-popular rambo variety alike the wonder and delight of that neighborhood. The meat was mealy and the apple possessed, among other attractive qualities, that of "keeping" longer than the usual variety of winter fruit. Since the death of Dr. Binkerd, his wife, Mrs. S. E. Binkerd, noting the progress of experiments in the same line in various sections of the country, sent samples of the fruit developed by the doctor to the state board of agriculture, and since received many flattering notices from the savants connected with that institution. Samples of the fruit were received by Oil City friends and have aroused great interest. The samples are coreless, and while like the naval orange, there is a cavity on the lower end of the fruit, in which the seed receptical is found, there is no sign of anything resembling seeds in the fruit.—Oil City Derrick.

Variety the Spice, Etc.

On Friday, just at noon, 10 men employed in laying a pipe line for the Phillips Gas Company to the new power house at Manorville were sitting on the side of the hill just above the brick works eating their dinner when a wild bull put in his appearance. One of the 10 had a previous experience with a bull and started overland for the north pole. The other nine had been deprived of this experience and they attempted to stone the bull, hoping, it is supposed, to frighten the bull away. The bull was not made that way and evidently meant business. Despite the shower of dornicks rained against his head he charged the nine laborers and with lowered head and frightful bellowing, he plunged down the hill. The nine men all seemed to receive the same impression at once, for they all climbed into a nearby tree at the same time and they also remained there. The bull perceiving that he was master of the situation, kept the nine men in the tree until 4 o'clock, when he became tired and left the vicinity. The men then returned to work and now if you want trouble with these men, all you have to do is to mention the one word "wild-bull."—Kittanning News.

Three of our most popular young men went to see three young ladies at the same house; one belonged there and the other two visited there. While they were having their conversation the father entered the room with a double-barrel shotgun and ordered them to leave the room at once and pointed the gun at them. They never said a word but flew for the door. It was quite hard to open and one went through the window. In the rush not any had their right hat; some had girls' caps and some the toe of a shoe. They all met after about a mile of a run in different directions, and the one that went through the window still had the window frame around him when met by the others. They all took a good rest and made up between them that it would be kept a secret and no one would be a bit the wiser. But they felt sore the next day that it was only a joke and nearly all knew about it. Go early boys and leave early hereafter.—Brookwayville Record.

Miss Callie Fisher, one of the best-known women in York, has been a teacher in St. Paul's Evangelical Lutheran Sunday school regularly for 60 years. Five others in the Sunday school have been teaching for 20 years.—Lancaster Inquirer.

The curfew will not ring tonight, but it will ring next Monday night and the boys and girls had better be ready to flock home suddenly. For three weeks past we have had an ordinance in the Advance which should be carefully read and a copy kept in every family for reference and instruction. We do not believe our boys and girls worse than any other boys and girls, but our streets have been occupied by many of them until too late an hour for a long time, which has annoyed many citizens who like quietness about their homes. It will be now also in place for many older than curfew age to see that they get home in something like business hours and help regulate the order and quiet of the town.—Leechburg Advance.

The oldest voter in the United States was probably the venerable Patrick Kerwin of Seward. He is over 107 years old and has been voting the Democratic ticket since 1825.—Johnstown Tribune.

Needs New Leader.

Gov. Terrell of Georgia, when asked as to the New York Democracy's part in the election, said: "The New York Democracy cannot be held to account. It was a complete defeat, and one which cannot be laid at the door of the Democracy of any one state or section. The election clearly indicates that the people of the United States are a progressive people, and then demand a progressive and an active administration of affairs. It is true the Democratic party is a party of progress, but it has been severely handicapped by obstructionists. It needs new leaders."

ACTION OF FRANCE DEPLORED BY POPE

Declares Articles Vatican Is Charged With Breaking Were Not Part of Concordat.

BRILLIANT CONSISTORY HELD

[Associated Press Cable to The Gazette.]

ROME, Nov. 14.—The festivities in honor of the jubilee of the Immaculate Conception may be said to have begun today, with the holding of a brilliant consistory, which was especially interesting, as the pope lately has been indisposed and many persons wished to be assured of his recovery. All the cardinals living in Rome, numbering about 25, gathered in the hall of the consistory at the Vatican an hour before the ceremony. The United States was represented at the consistory by Mgr. Kennedy, rector of the American college here, and Mgr. Seton, titular archbishop of Heliopolis, of Jersey City, N. J. Mgr. Kennedy, at the private consistory, received the pallium for Archbishop Glennon of St. Louis. The pallium for Archbishop Moeller of Cincinnati was received in the secret consistory by Father Haver, private secretary of Cardinal Gotti, prefect of the Propaganda, and the pallium for Archbishop Messmer of Milwaukee was received by Mgr. Jaquet.

In the secret consistory the pope delivered an allocution recalling the origin of the concordat and the reasons which induced Pope Pius VIII. to conclude it with Napoleon, especially referring to the provisions made for the appointment of bishops, the budget of the ministry of public worship, which was regulated by what was practically a contract and finally, the free exercise of Catholic worship. He added that the so-called "organic articles," added in 1802 by Napoleon, had never been recognized by the holy see, either as law or as being part of the concordat. Therefore, the pontiff deplored the fact that the present government of the French republic had under various pretexts charged the holy see with not having observed the concordat, adding that the church had never in the case of any country infringed an agreement made. The pope concluded with saying that the French government had broken the fundamental conditions of the concordat, a proceeding which was not only in violation of the concordat but which was also opposed to divine and natural law. The pope complained of the impossibility, due to the existing state of affairs, of appointing bishops to the vacant sees in France, but expressed the hope that an understanding would be reached.

The pontiff entered the hall of the consistory surrounded by his immediate entourage, flanked by the noble and swiss guards and followed by the papal court. He seated himself on the throne and those present advanced to pay their homage, after which the pope delivered a prayer to the holy ghost. Following this all except the cardinals left the hall as the consistory was secret. The pope and cardinals then proceeded to proclaim the archbishops, bishops, etc., as already appointed by brief, which was a mere form, and the pope delivered his allocution.

Immediately after the secret consistory the pope held a semi-public consistory preliminary to the ceremony of the canonization of the blessed Alesandro Sauli, the Barnabite, and the blessed Gerardo Mailla, the Redemptorist, which takes place next month.

All agree that outside of the fact that the pope has a somewhat careworn expression, he, notwithstanding his recent attack of gout, seems to be in good health.

CHEERED THE RELEASE OF "CAPTAIN" STREETER

Squatter Claimant of "Lake Michigan District" is Freed on Technicality.

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

CHICAGO, Nov. 14.—Cheers and handclapping followed an announcement today by Judge Dunne granting a writ of habeas corpus for the release from the penitentiary of "Captain" George Wellington Streeter of the "District of Lake Michigan" fame. Streeter was given his freedom on a technicality, namely, delay in executing the order committing him to prison.

Streeter was convicted on a charge of manslaughter growing out of an affray resulting from an attempt to keep alleged trespassers out of his so-called "district," which is a valuable tract of land on the Chicago lake front, and is claimed by Streeter under squatter rights.

WILL BUILD A HOTEL FOR WORKING WOMEN

Gotham Is Soon to Be the Scene of New Philanthropic and Business Enterprise.

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

NEW YORK, Nov. 14.—A hotel for working girls and working women will soon be built in this city. Philanthropy and business will be combined in the running of the hotel.

Plans have been submitted involving the expenditure of $500,000. Assistance has been offered by men prominent in the financial world.

The hotel probably will be in the neighborhood of the large department stores on the West Side, where many girls and women are employed. Their board at the hotel will be about $3 or $4 a week. They will have the use of the hotel laundry. There will be a room with sewing machines at their service. A number of small reception rooms will be on the first floor, where the girls may receive friends. If the girls get out of employment, the management will try to tide them over until they get work.

PLAN NEW DOWN TOWN BANK.

State Charter Will Be Asked for Institution in the Business Section.

A new state bank in the business section of Pittsburgh is contemplated by a number of business men who have made the required advertisement of the intended application for a charter. The bank will be known as the "Bank of Pennsylvania."

The charter will not be granted until February and those interested will not state their plans definitely as yet, as a number of points are unsettled. The incorporators will be William L. Bond, Jr., Eugene L. Connelly, W. H. Warwick, J. S. Stephens, and John Bernhard, Jr.

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VIOLATED ORDERS OF MR. ROOSEVELT

Sewing Women at Schuylkill Arsenal Not Employed According to Direction.

WILL MAKE AN INVESTIGATION

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

WASHINGTON, Nov. 14.—It appears from developments today that President Roosevelt's directions regarding the employment of sewing women at the Schuylkill arsenal in Philadelphia, have not been carried into effect.

Michael Francis Doyle of Philadelphia, representing the sewing women, called on the president today and informed him that his orders had not been heeded, that only a part of the work had been restored to the women. He pointed out that the making of trousers, which amounts to about $500,000 a year, had been withheld from the women, in direct contravention of the president's orders.

After hearing Mr. Doyle's statement the president sent a note to the war department asking for a report on the matter and calling attention to the fact that he had directed that the work be given to the women. He indicated his intention of ascertaining who had violated his instructions and why they had been violated.

SALES MANAGERS MEET.

Westinghouse Men Get Together to Compare Notes and Plan for Future.

The sales managers of the Westinghouse Electric and Manufacturing Company in the various districts of the country arrived here last night and they will begin their annual convention at East Pittsburgh today.

It has been the custom of the managers to come together once a year to discuss the business of the past year and deliberate as to the prospects of the future. The meeting will last four days. Tomorrow night the visitors will be entertained at a banquet at the Hotel Duquesne, tendered to the managers by Frank H. Taylor, second vice president.

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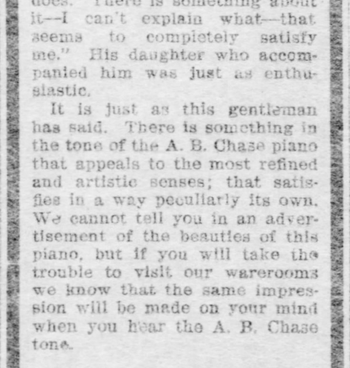

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KAISER'S ENVOYS ARRIVE FOR STATUE UNVEILING

NEW YORK, Nov. 14.—Gen. Alfred von Lowenfeld, general adjutant of Emperor William's military staff, and Maj. Count von Schmettow, imperial adjutant general, who are to represent Emperor William at the unveiling of the statue of Frederick the Great in Washington, November 19, arrived here today on the steamer Hamburg.

DIED.

BARR—On Sabbath, November 13, 1904, CATHERINE L. BARR, daughter of the late Col. Joseph and Eliza Barr of Finleyville, Washington county, Pa.

Funeral services Monday evening at 7:30 o'clock at the residence of her brother-in-law, the Rev. H. C. McFarland, Oakdale, Pa. Interment private this morning in Allegheny cemetery.

BRAVENDER—On Monday morning, November 14, 1904, at 5:45 o'clock, at the family residence, 250 Fifth street, MATTHIAS BRAVENDER, member of Branch 30, C. M. B. A., in his 57th year.

Notice of funeral hereafter.

[San Francisco (Cal.), Bridgeport (Conn.) and New York city papers please copy.]

DUNN—On Sabbath, November 13, 1904, at 11:30 a. m., ANNIE M. (Minta) widow of Thomas A. Dunn, in her 62d year.

Funeral services at her late residence, 1921 St. Clair terrace, Allegheny, Tuesday morning at 11 o'clock. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

[Dexter papers please copy.]

GARDNER—On Sunday, November 13, 1904, at 6:30 p. m., at the residence of H. H. Gardner, Butler, Pa., JESSIE ARMSTRONG GARDNER, wife of W. L. Gardner of Kenwood avenue, Allegheny, in the 37th year of her age.

Funeral services at her late residence, 40 Kenwood avenue, Allegheny, on Tuesday evening at 7:45 o'clock. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend. Interment private on Wednesday morning.

[Freeport (Pa.), Zoar (Conn.) and Liverpool (O.) and Guelph (Ont.) papers please copy.]

KEANE—On Sunday, November 13, 1904, at 3:40 p. m., BARBARA, wife of Mark Keane, at her home, Dixon Hollow.

Funeral services will be held Wednesday morning at 9 o'clock in St. Coleman's church, Turtle Creek. Interment in St. Thomas' division of Monongahela cemetery. The ladies of the C. M. B. A. and friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

(Chicago and St. Paul papers please copy.)

MCLELLAND—On Saturday, November 12, 1904, at 11:30 p. m., JOSEPH WARREN, son of Arthur T. and Mamie E. McClelland (nee Finley), aged 2 years 11 months.

Funeral services at the family residence, 1843 Locust street, Pittsburgh, on Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend. Interment private.

M'CULLY—On Sunday, November 13, 1904, at 1:10 a. m., MRS. JAMES M'CULLY, aged 65 years, at the residence of her daughter, Mrs. John McCrory, Grandview avenue, Mt. Washington.

High mass of requiem at St. Mary's of the Mount church, Grandview avenue, on Tuesday morning at 9 o'clock. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

M'KELVEY—On Monday, November 14, 1904, at 4:15 a. m., JOHN T. M'KELVEY, Sr., aged 69 years.

Funeral from the late residence, Fifth avenue, Coraopolis, on Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

MACKEY—Suddenly on Monday morning, November 14, 1904, JAMES MACKEY.

Funeral services at his late residence, 120 North Lang avenue, East End, on Wednesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. Interment private.

MALIE—On Saturday, November 12, 1904, at 4:30 a. m., MRS. BARBARA MALIE, aged 72 years.

Funeral from her late residence, 15 South Diamond street, Allegheny, on Tuesday morning at 8:30 o'clock. Services at St. Peter's church at 9 o'clock.

(New York and Boston papers please copy.)

MOORE—On Sunday, November 13, 1904, at 9:17 a. m., THOMAS CARLILE MOORE.

Funeral services at his late residence, Maple avenue, Edgewood, on Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock. Interment private Wednesday morning.

OSBORNE—On Sunday, November 13, 1904, at 9 p. m., at Sutersville, Pa., MRS. ELIZABETH OSBORNE, wife of Matthew Osborne, aged 66 years.

Funeral services on Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Interment private at West Newton, Pa.

RICHARDS—On Friday, November 11, 1904, at 4:30 p. m., GEORGE WINTERS, better known as George Richards, aged 46 years.

Funeral at Burns & Gilligan's chapel, Grant street, this afternoon at 2 o'clock. Friends and members of Marine Cooks, local 564, are respectfully invited to attend.

[Louisville (Ky.) and Cincinnati (O.) papers please copy.]

ROBINSON—On Monday, November 14, 1904, at 4 p. m., WILLIAM H. ROBINSON, in his 70th year.

Funeral services at the residence of his son, William Robinson, 7612 Bennett street, Thirty-seventh ward, Pittsburgh, on Wednesday, November 16, at 2 p. m. Interment in Homewood cemetery.

SCHADE—On Monday, November 14, 1904, at 1:30 a. m., RACHEL LOUISE, daughter of Jacob and Barbara Schade (nee Lowar), aged 1 year 10 days.

Funeral from her parents' residence, Collier township, near Carnegie, on Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Friends of the family respectfully invited to attend.

SMITH—On Saturday, November 12, 1904, at 9:15 p. m., of a complication of diseases, MRS. ANNA SMITH (nee Sharp).

Funeral services Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock at her late home, Lincoln place, at the end of Homestead Park street railway line. Interment at Homestead cemetery.

ULERY—On Saturday, November 12, 1904, at 7:15 a. m., HEAH ELIZABETH, wife of Charles F. Ulery, in her 26th year.

Funeral from the residence of J. L. Scott, 822 Lehigh avenue, East End. Services at Sacred Heart church, Center avenue, East End, Tuesday morning at 9:30 o'clock.

WIELER—On Monday, November 14, 1904, at 6 a. m., ANNIE E. WIELER, aged 71 years, widow of Gottlied Wieler, formerly of Scott township.

Funeral from her late residence, Scott township, on Wednesday morning at 9:30 o'clock. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend. Interment in the German Lutheran cemetery, Lemington avenue, East End. Carriages will leave the office of M. S. Ward, 24 East Carson street, South Side, Wednesday morning at 8:45 o'clock.

[Wheeling (W. Va.) papers please copy.]

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JUST PUTTING OUT A FEELER

Citizens party leaders are giving out the impression they will support John B. Larkin for city controller. It is generally believed they are bluffing.

Two months will elapse before it will be necessary for any party to make a nomination. The Citizens think that by their declaration they will be able to make the Republicans take the preliminary steps. Larkin has stood as a barrier to every make-even proposition that the present Citizens administration has evolved. In no particular has it indorsed a thing that he has done. An announcement coming at this time that it is the intention of the administration to back him for re-election is viewed with suspicion. There is reason to believe that somewhere concealed beneath the kindling wood there is an enemy of a "white man's party."

The indorsement of Larkin is thrown out as a feeler. Hopeful are the leaders of the once dominant Citizens party that others will tumble head over heels to their scheme. Frequently was the suggestion heard yesterday, "If they are in earnest, let them nominate Mr. Larkin." Mayor William B. Hays and Director Bigelow were quoted about the indorsement of Controller Larkin, but neither of them is positive in the statement that the Citizens would nominate the controller for a second term. Director Bigelow said:

"If the Republicans nominate Larkin, we will too. What is the use of spending $40,000 or $50,000 in a hard fight?"

Mayor Hays, who finds it convenient to think in harmony with Director Bigelow, says:

"While we have not finally decided upon our course I think that the Citizens will support Larkin. We have been holding off to see what the Republicans intend to do, but we cannot wait longer. It would be hard to defeat Larkin."

Magistrate Joseph Vitchestain said—but space is valuable even if the telegraph wires are not working. There has been enough wind in the east.

Mayor Hays also says that the indications point to another fusion fight for county offices next fall. He gives no intimation as to the name of the angel.

So far the managers of the Citizens party have not called a meeting of the Citizens city committee to nominate Larkin and make their bluff good.

The Citizens might prefer that the Republicans nominate Larkin and then there is a possibility that they would vote the Republican ticket and prepare themselves for entry into the June primaries.

POLICE OFFICERS HELD FOR COURT

Director Scandrett, Supt. Campbell, Capt. Wilson and Roundsman Dean Bound Over.

HANCOCK IS CONTRADICTORY

Director Thomas B. Scandrett of the Allegheny public safety department, Supt. M. H. Campbell of the police bureau and Capt. James Wilson have been held in $500 bail each on charges of conspiracy lodged against them by County Detective Rochison. The hearings were held yesterday afternoon in the office of Alderman Toole. Roundsman Joseph Dean, who was to have had a hearing on a charge of perjury, waived a hearing and gave bail for court.

Thomas M. Marshall, who has been acting for the Allegheny people, was aided at the hearings by Attorney S. S. Robertson. The entrance of Mr. Robertson into the case is interesting when it is recalled that in the Wyman-Woodburn recordership fight Robertson was a Republican campaign orator, and devoted most of his evenings to telling the public why it should not support Wyman and the element he represented.

Considerable new evidence was disclosed yesterday that will be used by the prosecuting attorneys. It was mainly on the testimony of Scott Hancock, a sub-patrolman, that the prosecution showed there was suspicion enough of conspiracy among the defendants to hold them for court. Hancock made contradictory statements, and in his confusion acknowledged that he bought beer from Sue Williams on November 2 for the purpose of making an information against her, wherein he was to charge the sale of liquor illegally. Hancock admitted after buying the beer he reported what he had done to Supt. Campbell the following morning, and that Campbell assured him an information would be made immediately against Mrs. Williams.

Charges of the Commonwealth.

In the information against Scandrett, Campbell and Wilson, the commonwealth charges they conspired to intimidate Mrs. Williams, who, at the time the information was made against her by Supt. Campbell, was a witness for the commonwealth in its case against Capt. James Wilson. The intention of the prosecuting attorneys was to show that the defendants had conspired together to persecute Mrs. Williams because she testified against Wilson, and for the further object of intimidating others who might be called as witnesses for the prosecution.

Besides the defendants there were present from Allegheny John T. McAuley, clerk in Scandrett's office; Lieut. Robert Dickson of the Third police district, Policeman Shaw, Charles E. Lowe, chief clerk in the highways and sewers bureau, and Sue Williams.

Attorney John C. Haymaker, in questioning Mrs. Williams, brought out the fact that she did not see Roundsman Joe Dean in her house on the morning of Sunday, November 6, when her house was raided. It was on Dean's testimony that Mrs. Williams was fined $50 and costs by Magistrate Abernathy. The fine was later ordered remitted by the court. At Central station about 1 o'clock Sunday morning, and for more than an hour later, Mrs. Williams asserted, she saw Director Scandrett, Supt. Campbell, John McAuley and Capt. Wilson. She was taken from the matron's room after Scandrett had a conference with the matron, and was locked in an outside cell, known as the dungeon. She said she had run a house at 62 Robinson street for three years, and had never before been raided under the present administration.

McAuley's Explanation of Late Hours.

John T. McAuley said, in answer to questions by Mr. Haymaker, that he was Scandrett's clerk, and that his office hours were from 9 a. m. to 5 p. m. Frequently he said, he had to work at the office until after midnight, and was always around late with the director on Saturday night. Campbell, he said, was always at his office late on Saturday night. McAuley said Capt. Wilson was working on the night of November 5, the night Mrs. Williams was raided. This was contradicted later by Lieut. Dickson, who said Capt. Wilson rode a horse in the big Republican parade on that night. Wilson was not on duty, according to Dickson.

The latter told a straightforward story in answer to Mr. Haymaker's questions. It was to the effect that he has known for three years that Mrs. Williams kept a house at 62 Robinson street, and that on the night of the raid he heard no disorder there or in the house of Lillian Earl, who rents her house at 67 Robinson street from Mrs. Williams. Dickson did not think Capt. Wilson was working that night, as he was in the parade. Dickson was told to go to the Williams house by Joe Dean, and shortly after 2 o'clock was told by the same man to go to the Earl house, because, as Dean declared, there was disorder there.

Scott Hancock's Peculiar Work.

Scott Hancock, the sub-policeman, said he went to the house of Mrs. Williams on the night of November 2 with Charles Smith. The latter, he said, lives at 57 Darragh street, but Hancock did not know what kind of a house that was. He said he was not in the habit of buying drinks for Smith, but on that particular night called him from the Darragh street house "just to buy him a few drinks." It was brought out that Smith had some time ago sued Mrs. Williams on some charge, and for this reason he did not wish to enter her house when asked by Hancock.

"Did you ever buy liquor in Mrs. Williams' house before?" asked Mr. Haymaker.

"No, sir."

"In the two years you have been on the police force were you ever in Mrs. Williams house before?"

"No, sir."

"Then why did you go in there to buy drinks two days after Mrs. Williams testified against Capt. Wilson?"

"I went in to buy beer for the purpose of making an information against her for selling liquor without a license."

Hancock would not admit he had been ordered by anyone to do what he did, and said he had heard the woman was selling liquor. He said some railroaders had told him of this about a week prior, but he could not remember the names of any of the men who mentioned it to him. From Mrs. Williams' house Hancock went to city hall, but, according to his story, did not tell Campbell anything until the following morning.

After Hancock had been heard Attorney Marron declared enough had been told, and no more testimony was needed.

Marron Does Not Mince Things.

"'Squire," said Mr. Marron, "I think when we have shown that Supt. Campbell sent a nameless degenerate and another man to buy beer of Mrs. Williams two days after she testified that she paid Capt. Wilson $100, and when we have shown that Roundsman Dean was serving him in his dirty low purpose, there can be no doubt that there is at least a suspicion upon which to base our charge. However, this case should be heard in court. It is obvious that this raid on Mrs. Williams was meant to show to her, and to others in the district, that they must not interfere with the doings of any policeman. The three defendants, it seems to me, were directly interested in demonstrating to Mrs. Williams, and others, that no such proceedings against a policeman would be tolerated."

Alderman Toole took this view evidently, as he held the defendants for court. Robert Ogilvie signed Wilson's bond, William Penwell, Sr., signed for Campbell and Richard B. Scandrett signed for Director Scandrett. Dean's bond was signed by his brother, John Dean of 5600 Walnut street.

Mayor Wyman refused to see newspapermen yesterday, so that no statement could be got from him in reply to that made in The Gazette yesterday by Dr. Samuel S. Woodburn, to the effect that it was expected that the Allegheny graft investigation would result in the removal from office of Mayor Wyman.

THE DEATH ROLL

Mrs. Elizabeth S. Owens.

Mrs. Elizabeth S. Owens, wife of William P. Owens, died yesterday at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Thomas Morgan, 726 Fourth street, North Braddock. She was an invalid for 10 years. Mrs. Owens was a daughter of Wilson and Roxanna Cramer and was born in Shippensburg, Cumberland county, Pa. In 1870, at Green Oak, near Johnstown, she became the wife of William P. Owens. Mr. and Mrs. Owens went to Turtle Creek after their marriage and lived there for more than a quarter of a century. Three years ago they went to North Braddock. Mrs. Owens came of a pioneer Methodist Episcopal family which came from New Jersey. She had been connected with the church for over 60 years. Besides her husband she is survived by three daughters, Mrs. William McCune, of Turtle Creek; Mrs. J. H. Gross of Homestead, and Mrs. Thomas Morgan of Braddock. She was a sister of the Rev. Isaac Cramer of North Braddock. She also leaves the following brothers and sister: Frank Cramer of North Homestead; Mrs. Jeremiah Black of East End, this city; Joseph and David Cramer of Cramer postoffice, and George Cramer of Freeport, Pa. The funeral will be tomorrow afternoon.

Miss Catherine L. Barr.

Miss Catherine L. Barr, aged 75, died Sunday at the home of her sister, Mrs. H. C. McFarland, in Oakdale. She was born near Finleyville, Washington county, and was a daughter of the late Col. and Mrs. Joseph Barr. She was a charter member of the Oakdale United Presbyterian church and had lived in that place for 15 years. Her sister, the wife of the Rev. H. C. McFarland, is the only surviving member of the immediate family. Funeral services were held last evening at the McFarland home, and the interment will be private today in the Allegheny cemetery.

Fannie Ward Randall.

Fannie Ward Randall, widow of Samuel J. Randall, for years the Democratic leader in the house of representatives, is dead at her home at Chestnut Hill, a suburb of Philadelphia. She was a daughter of Gen. Aaron Ward of Ossining, N. Y., who was a member of congress from 1827 to 1843. Mrs. Randall was well known in official circles in Washington during her husband's long career as the representative of the Third congressional district in this city, but since his death she has been living quietly at Chestnut Hill.

George N. Cochran's Funeral.

Funeral services will be held at 2 o'clock this afternoon over the remains of George M. Cochran, the police patrolman who was killed by being knocked out of a patrol wagon at Carson and South Thirteenth street on Sunday, at his late home, 42 South Thirteenth street. Fifty policemen in charge of Capt. Fredericks will escort the remains to the cemetery. Six officers will act as pallbearers, while six members of G. A. R. post 151, of which Cochran was a member, will act as honorary pallbearers.

Joseph Plattenberg.

Joseph Plattenberg, aged 67, died yesterday at his home in West Sixth street, McKeesport, of heart trouble. He served for many years as treasurer of Reynoldton borough before it was consolidated with McKeesport. Mr. Plattenberg was later employed by the National Tube Company, but was forced to resign about a week ago because of ill health. He was a member of Titus lodge, Knights of Pythias, of McKeesport, and is survived by his widow and a daughter, Josephine.

Thomas J. House.

Thomas J. House, for 30 years a Pittsburgh newspaperman, died at his home, 1203 Eleventh street, Walbrook, Baltimore, Md., of apoplexy Sunday night. Mr. House removed to Baltimore about a year ago with his family. He was a native of Vincennes, Ind. His widow and two daughters, Mrs. William Dickson of Homestead and Miss Emma House, at home, survive.

Obituary Notes.

John Brown is dead at his late home in McDonald, aged 75 years.

Andrew Barpus of New Philadelphia is dead at his home aged 67 years.

Mrs. Elizabeth Rorahan of Washington, Pa., died yesterday, aged 67 years.

John Leopold of Borgettstown is dead, aged 62 years. He was a veteran of the civil war.

Mrs. Annie E. Sampsell died yesterday of consumption at Washington, Pa., aged 64 years.

Stewart Southworth of Youngstown, O., aged 22 years, died last night after an illness of three days.

Anna B. Kennelly, 31 years old, is dead at the home of her mother, Mrs. Katherine Kennelly, New Castle.

Frank Gardner of Sharon, aged 27 years, was seized with hemorrhages last night and died two hours afterward.

Mary E., wife of George Harris of New Castle, died yesterday morning from typhoid fever, aged 27 years.

George Downs, aged 45 years, was found dead in bed at Ellwood yesterday. Heart failure was the cause.

Edward S. Richards, who served during the civil war in Company K, Nineteenth Ohio volunteer infantry, is dead at his home in Lisbon, O., aged 56.

Mrs. Ada Evans, aged 30 years, wife of Prof. J. Frank Evans, is dead at her home in Ruffsdale, from the effects of a fall sustained five weeks ago.

Matthew Entzeroder died at his home, 220 Erin street, of pneumonia, yesterday. He was a member of St. Brigid's Catholic church and of Branch 32, Catholic Mutual Benefit association.

Noah A. Sewell is dead at his home in Lackawannock township, Mercer county. He was 71 years old and was a member of the Hundredth regiment, Pennsylvania volunteers. A few years ago he was a candidate for county treasurer on the Republican ticket.

George Engle, a painting contractor, died yesterday at his home in Hansen street, Millvale, after several weeks' illness from brain fever. His wife and one son survive him, as do also his father, Justus Engle, three sisters and three brothers, all of Allegheny.

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CALL TO MR. SWIFT.

Mt. Washington Baptist Church Unanimously Tenders Pastorate to Ohio Minister.

Emerson L. Swift, pastor of the Greenfield (O.) Baptist church, was tendered a unanimous call at a meeting of the congregation of the Mt. Washington Baptist church last evening to accept the pastorate of the latter church.

Mr. Swift is not a stranger to the Baptists of this city. He was assistant to the Rev. Dr. Warren J. Partridge of the Fourth Avenue church, when Dr. Partridge was pastor of a Cincinnati congregation. The highest recommendation is given Mr. Swift by Dr. Partridge. He preached on two Sundays early in October at the Mt. Washington church, and made an excellent impression. Mr. Swift is a graduate of the Rochester Theological seminary at Rochester, N. Y., receiving his degree in 1893.

The committee on the selection of a pastor for the church was composed of H. C. Barr, George Kerwin and William Birdwood.

Deaconess' Board Met.

The board of trustees of the Methodist Episcopal Deaconess' home, 2000 Fifth avenue, met yesterday and re-elected the following officers: President, the Rev. Dr. T. J. Leak; secretary, Mrs. E. H. Tiley; treasurer, Mrs. Samuel Hamilton. It was arranged to hold the annual donation day at the home on Tuesday, November 22. There are at present 15 deaconesses in the home, and the board is considering the application of three candidates for admission.

Mr. Schwab Has Gone East Again.

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Mahogany Desk	from	24.00	to	18.00
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Mahogany Table	from	27.00	to	18.00
Mahogany Table	from	35.00	to	18.00
White Mahogany Table	from	18.00	to	9.00
Weathered Oak Table	from	14.00	to	8.50
Mahogany Table	from	22.00	to	12.00
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GREETED PRINCE AT WASHINGTON

Member of Japanese Royal House Welcomed on Behalf of the President.

ESCORTED FROM HIS TRAIN

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]
WASHINGTON, Nov. 14.—Prince Fushimi, adopted brother of the mikado, arrived in Washington this afternoon and assumed for the first time since his arrival in this country his official personality as prince of the royal house of Japan. He was met at the station by the third assistant secretary of state, Mr. Peirce, who, as the personal representative of the president bade him welcome to this country.

Mr. Hioki, the first secretary of the Japanese legation, and in the absence of the minister the charge d'affaires, presented the prince at the station to Baron Kaneko, who is visiting in this country, and Mr. Peirce and Col. Symonds, U. S. A., who will act as the prince's honorary military aid. The prince thanked them for their cordial welcome and expressed the satisfaction he felt at being in the United States.

A procession was then formed outside the car and Secretary Peirce led the way with the prince on his arm. There was a small crowd in the station, but no particular demonstration was made. The prince and party were driven to the Arlington hotel, where they will stay while in Washington. Preceding the procession of carriages were four mounted policemen and surrounding the prince and the members of his party were bicycle policemen. In another carriage rode Chief Wilkie of the secret service and several members of his staff.

The program for the entertainment of the prince begins tomorrow morning at 10 o'clock, when he will be presented to the president. The prince will wear his full uniform when calling at the White House and the state department, but will wear civilian dress when calling on the foreign ambassadors. The president will return the call of Prince Fushimi tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock.

On Wednesday Assistant Secretary Loomis will give a luncheon in honor of the prince at the New Willard hotel. At the invitation of Count Cassini, the Russian ambassador, who is dean of the diplomatic corps, Mr. Aspiroz, the Mexican ambassador, will act as dean during the visit of the prince.

PRINCE FUSHIMA HERE.

Member of Japan's Imperial Household Stops Over on Way to Washington to See President.

A distinguished visitor in Pittsburgh for a few minutes yesterday morning was His Imperial Highness Prince Sadanaru Fushima, the personal representative of the mikado of Japan, who is in this country on a special mission to President Roosevelt. The prince was accompanied by a few friends and a retinue of servants. They occupied a private car on a train which left Chicago on Sunday night at 8 o'clock. It encountered considerable delay on account of the storm, but reached Pittsburgh at 10 o'clock, about on time. The prince was in his berth when the train arrived, but readily came out in answer to a request. He is a rather undersized man, with a cheery face and a good command of English.

Prince Fushima would say nothing as to the progress of the war. He has been away from Japan for two months and says he is now depending on American newspapers for his information. He said he was going to Washington to congratulate President Roosevelt on his election, and added that Japan is pleased with the result. What his special mission to the president is no one is prepared to say. The mikado has sent several emissaries to the president recently, but none of such official importance as Prince Fushima.

At Washington Prince Fushima will be the recipient of many social attentions. He will be the guest of honor at a luncheon given by the secretary of state, will attend a dinner in his honor at the Japanese legation, and will give a reception to the diplomatic corps at the Arlington. A number of the prince's countrymen in this city went to Union station yesterday morning, but were too late to see Prince Fushima.

AUSTRIA READY FOR ARBITRATION TREATY

She Also Assures American Ambassador She Will Be Represented at The Hague Conference.

[Associated Press Cable to The Gazette.]
VIENNA, Nov. 14.—Bellamy Storer, the American ambassador, visited the foreign office here this afternoon and approached Count Goluchowski on the subject of an arbitration treaty between Austria and the United States. Count Goluchowski replied that his government would gladly discuss a proposition of that nature, and said Austria-Hungary was now negotiating similar treaties with other powers.

Mr. Storer also presented Secretary Hay's note regarding the proposed new peace conference. Count Goluchowski said he was already acquainted with America's proposition, and that the ambassador might inform his government that Austria-Hungary agreed entirely in principle with America upon the subject, and would certainly be represented at the conference.

EIGHT-HOUR DAY GRANTED.

Telluride, Col., Miners Will Also Receive a Minimum Wage of $3 a Day.

DENVER, Nov. 14.—Notices have been posted at the mills of the five big mines of the Telluride region, that the eight-hour day will prevail in the mills. The plants concerned are: Smuggler Union, Liberty Bell, Tomboy, Nellie and Alta. It was the demand for this concession in the mills of the state that precipitated the strike and caused the bitter strife between unionists and mine owners. The minimum wage promised is $3 a day. At one time the Western Federation of Miners offered to accept $2.75 for an eight-hour day. It is said there will be no discrimination against union men.

Secretary Haywood of the Western Federation expressed satisfaction with the news.

PASSED BOGUS CHECKS.

Man Said to Have Victimized Lawrenceville Merchants Several Months Ago Is Caught.

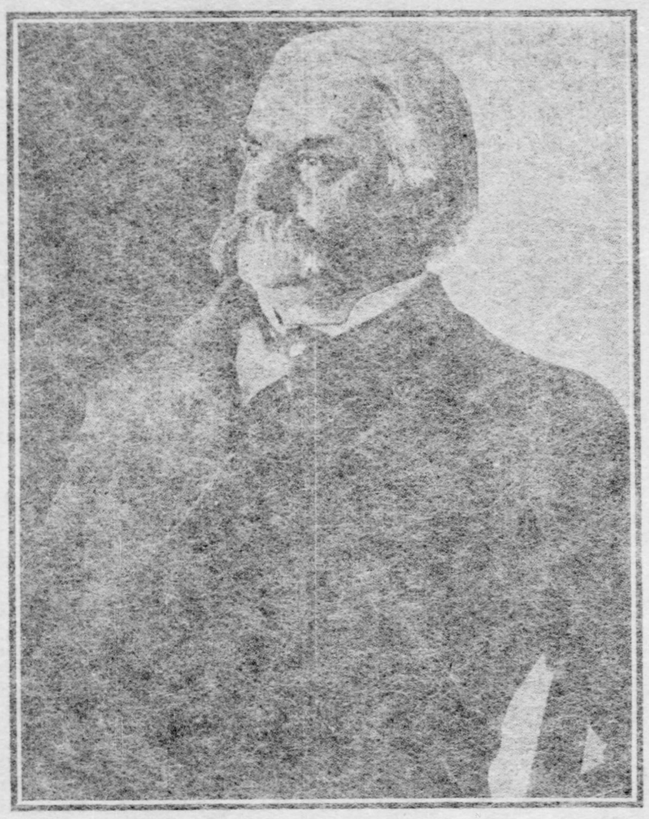
H. W. Gosser, who has been wanted for several months by the police in the Lawrenceville district on charges of passing worthless checks, was arrested last evening by Officer John McAndrews. Gosser's arrest was due to Peter J. Boyle, a Forty-third street saloon keeper, who said that Gosser had tried to pass a bogus check on him. He pointed out Gosser to the officer.

Gosser was identified at No. 5 police station by M. J. Moroney, Fred Naser and George Wehrle, merchants of Lawrenceville, as the man who a few months ago had had checks cashed by them. Gosser is held on several charges of false pretense. He formerly resided in Kittanning.

Students Attempt a Lynching.

AUBURN, ALA., Nov. 14.—An attempt to lynch Arthur Barnes, a negro, by a number of students of the Alabama polytechnic institute was thwarted only by the forethought of President Thach of that institution, who had the negro taken out of town. He had slightly wounded Claude M. Howard, a son of ex-Congressman Howard.

COMMISSIONER WARE TO LEAVE PENSION BUREAU



EUGENE F. WARE.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 14.—Commissioner of Pensions Eugene F. Ware today tendered his resignation to the president, and it was accepted, to take effect January 1.

When seen tonight Commissioner Ware refused to discuss his action. For at least one year, however, it has been definitely known that Mr. Ware would retire from his office soon after the fall elections and return to his home in Kansas to resume his law practice.

It is believed that Commissioner Ware's action was not due to any suggestion that the severance of his relations with the pension office would be agreeable to the president. On the contrary, it has been no secret that Commissioner Ware soon after assuming his duties found the duties of his office distasteful to him and that this distaste steadily increased. There is no intimation tonight as to who will be his successor.

MORROW DECLARES NO DEAL HAS BEEN MADE

Says Controller Larkin Will Continue Fight to Have Bonds Issued in Installments.

Although Mayor Hays says the administration will probably support Controller Larkin for re-election, thus creating the impression that an understanding has been reached between the administration and the controller, the latter makes it plain that no agreement has been reached on the $5,000,000 filtration bond issue, which at present is the most vital question with the administration.

Controller Larkin was kept at home yesterday by a severe cold, but his assistant, E. S. Morrow, spoke for him in reference to the bond case, in which a suit is pending in the county court to compel the controller to issue $5,000,000 bonds in a lump.

"I understand perfectly the controller's position," said Mr. Morrow, "and I believe that he will oppose any issue of bonds for the construction of the filtration plant unless the bonds are issued as they are needed to carry on the work. He has taken this position and I believe he will stand by it."

This statement was called forth by the reports in circulation about the city hall yesterday that a "deal" had been entered into between the controller and the administration to the effect that the administration would support Larkin for re-election and that Larkin would agree to the filtration bond issue, providing a new ordinance, making the bonds payable annually, as demanded by Larkin, is passed by councils.

The talk of an agreement was started by the fact that the controller had declared in favor of the administration candidate for common council in the Twenty-second ward; also because of the indefinite postponement of the hearing in the bond suit and by Mayor Hays' statement that the administration might support Larkin.

From a reliable source it is learned that the new bond ordinance which the administration will put in councils after the hearing in the bond case, will cover only those defects pointed out by the court and that the new ordinance will also provide for an issue of $5,000,000 in one lump, the same as the present ordinance. According to Assistant Controller Morrow his chief will be as much opposed to the new ordinance as to the present one.

DICK IS RENOMINATED FOR MAJOR GENERAL

COLUMBUS, O., Nov. 12.—United States Senator Charles Dick today was renominated major general of the Ohio national guard. Brig.-Gen. W. V. MacMackin, Toledo, also was renominated. The officers are to be elected for life.

WILL SPEND MILLIONS DEVELOPING MANITOBA

French Company to Build a System of Canals and Railways.

[Special Telegram to The Gazette.]
WINNIPEG, MAN., Nov. 14.—After touring the Canadian northwest for two months, Eugene F. Poisson, inspecting engineer for Fiver Lillee & Co. of Paris, will at once proceed on development of the Canadian west, which will cost in the neighborhood of 400,000,000 francs. Poisson says the company will start at once to build canals and railways through a country now but scarcely settled for the lack of transportation.

"It's a wonderful country we have seen," he said. "I have traveled all over America and North Africa, but have never seen anything that will compare with the Canadian northwest."

Mr. Poisson left for France tonight.

Gunsaulus' lecture tonight, 8:15 o'clock, Allegheny Carnegie hall. Tickets 800 Federal street, Allegheny.

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TROLLEY CARS COLLIDE, INJURING TWO PERSONS

More Than One Hundred Others Were Severely Shaken Up in Wreck.

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]
NEW YORK, Nov. 14.—In a double collision between trolley cars in Newark, N. J., tonight, two persons were badly injured and more than 100 were severely shaken up or received slight injuries from flying glass. The severely injured are Fannie Schwartz and Daniel V. Baumann of Newark.

Just at the rush hour of the evening, when all lines were crowded, an Irvington car, westbound, was going up the hill near the Essex County court house. Behind it trailed a long line of crowded cars. The trolley wheel of the Irvington car slipped off the wire, and before the motorman could apply his brake, the car slipped backward, and smashed into an Orange car. The force of the collision shattered the two platforms, broke every pane of glass in both cars, and piled the passengers in a heap on the floor.

NEW YORK HORSE SHOW HAS NOTABLE OPENING

Society Turns Out in Force and Distinguished Foreigners Attend—Fine Animals from England.

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]
Society pinned the blue ribbon of fashion on the show, which had the satisfaction of seeing a blue ribbon crowd in point of numbers, gowns and beauty. The garden was a beautiful sight in the evening. The jingle of chains, the thuds of horses' hoofs, the sweet tones of the band stationed far up near the roof, the great throng circling the promenade and the subdued hum of conversation all went to make a scene distinctive of this great event in social circles.

The attendance of well-known people on the opening night was much larger than usual. Not only were the boxes filled, but the seats behind them were patronized by many well-known people. Several foreigners were present, among them Lord Ardee, the eldest son and heir of the earl and countess of Meath, Sir Ernest Cassel, Count Armand de Conlant Biron of Paris, Count du Temple de Rougemont, the Princes Louis and Anthony of Orleans Braganza, sons of the ex-crown princess of Brazil, and Lieut.-Geh. von Lowenfeld and Maj.-Gen. Count von Schmetter of the kaiser's military household.

Man Shoots a Woman.

NEW YORK, Nov. 14.—Mary J. Taylor, aged 35, a manicure, was shot and probably fatally wounded tonight by a man who fired through the door of her apartment in West Sixty-fifth street. She told the police the shooting was done by Romaine B. Schuler, a clothing cutter.

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Black Marten Scarfs, $5 to $37.50.
Black Lynx Scarfs, $35 to $50.
Squirrel Scarfs, $7.50 to $30.
Real Chinchilla Scarfs, $25 to $125.
Persian Lamb Scarfs, $15 to $125.
Russian Sable Scarfs, $100 to $750.
Persian Lamb Coats, $140 to $395.
Alaska Seal Coats, $300 to $395.
Real Chinchilla Muffs, $25 to $75.
Real Mink Muffs, $25 to $60.
Sable Fox Muffs, $18 to $25.
Isabella Fox Muffs, $10 to $25.
Persian Lamb Muffs, $20 to $30.
Black Marten Muffs, $10 to $25.
Blended Marten Muffs, $35 to $75.

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Flannelette Kimonos, colors, pink and blue with band of figured flannelette down front and around sleeves....75c

Flannelette Kimonos in plain colors, with embroidered band of fleur de lis down front and around sleeves....$1.00

Flannelette Kimonos in neat floral designs trimmed with bands of plain colored sateen. $1.25 value at....$1.00

German flannel Lounging Robes a comfortable garment for cold weather, blue ground with white figures....$2.25

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Swiss ribbed merino Vests, low neck....90c to $1.00

Swiss ribbed merino Vests, high neck....$1.00 to $1.25

Swiss ribbed merino Vests, long sleeves....$1.40 to $1.60

Swiss ribbed silk and lisle Vests....$1.50 and $1.75

Swiss ribbed silk Vests....$2.25 to $4.00

Harvard make silk and cotton mixed Vests and Drawers....$1.00

Harvard make silk and wool mixed Vests and Drawers....$1.50

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Children's light weight cashmere Hose....55c to 90c

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Boys' ribbed wool Hose, Musser make....65c to $1.00

Boys' ribbed cotton Hose, Musser make....25c to 40c

Children's ribbed cotton Hose, all weights and sizes, ranging in prices from....35c to 75c

Infants' ribbed wool Hose, black, white, tan, pink, sky blue and red, all sizes 4½ to 6....25c

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Infants' white zephyr knit Leggings....50c to $1.15

Children's black stocknit, buttoned Leggings....50c to $1.00

Women's cotton Hose, medium and heavy weight....25c to 75c

Women's wool Hose, medium and heavy weight....50c to $1.00

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233-235 FIFTH AVENUE

BISHOPS' COUNCIL IN BETHEL FIGHT

Will Meet Soon After New Years to Settle Trouble in the Big Church.

WAR MAY LAST SEVERAL YEARS

The council of bishops of the African Methodist Episcopal church will meet soon after the first of the coming year to settle the troubles which exist in the congregation of Bethel church. The council will be held either in Pittsburgh or near here, in order that all the witnesses wanted can be readily secured. Charges are already being formulated against Bishop W. B. Derrick, and an effort will be made on the part of members of the congregation, who refuse to abide by their bishop's rulings, to have him unfrocked.

The battle between the 400 or more members of the church who have refused to accept Bishop Derrick's decision, and the bishop and his appointee, the Rev. W. S. Lowry, shows no signs of easing up. The members of the church who refuse to recognize Lowry as their pastor have rented the old Fifth Avenue Methodist Episcopal church, secured the services of the Rev. I. S. Lee, and are holding regular services there. Last Sunday morning and evening there were almost 400 at each service, practically all of them members of Bethel church.

The old Methodist church has been leased until April 1, with the privilege of renewal. Regular services will be held each Sunday, with Sunday school, young people's meetings and other services as usual. The members of this organization are particular to state they have not withdrawn from the African Methodist Episcopal church. They simply refuse to accept Lowry as their pastor, and have drawn aside until such time as the differences between them and their bishop and pastor can be adjudicated. They have been expelled from church membership by a resolution passed by the quarterly conference, but, as the conference has no jurisdiction in the matter, they are not disturbed over the expulsion.

The objecting members of the church have informed the Real Estate Trust Company, which has the funds of the church in its keeping, that they propose to sue out an injunction to restrain the bank from paying any money on warrants drawn by the Lowry faction trustees. This has put an awkward face on the matter for the Lowry people, and a meeting has been called for tomorrow to elect new trustees. Even this is not expected to stave off the injunction suit, as the anti-Lowry faction declares the proposed election to be illegal.

The trustees were elected last January to serve one year. They cannot be removed except for cause, and then only after being given a trial by the church. Seven of the nine trustees are against Lowry and refuse to authorize any warrants for carrying on the church work under his leadership. It is to remedy this matter by the election of new trustees that an election has been announced for tomorrow night. The anti-Lowry people claim the congregation has no right to elect new trustees until the old ones have been removed.

Bishop Derrick is announced to preach in Bethel church next Sunday morning and evening, and a large audience is expected to hear him. To guard against any trouble the police will furnish a guard for the occasion. It is admitted on the hill that Bishop Derrick is not as popular in that section as he was before the present trouble started, and it is feared something unpleasant might result from his presence were precautions neglected. At any rate the present authorities of the church are running no chances.

The council of bishops will be held as soon as possible after they are through with their conference work, which will not be until after the holidays. Even if the council should decide against the bishop it does not mean an end of the trouble. He can take an appeal to the general conference. It does not meet for four years. During that time the locked-out members will have to carry on their work elsewhere. The trouble has developed the fact that the church law is weak in failing to furnish a final court of appeal, where this matter could be more speedily disposed of. It will probably result in a change of the law and, possibly, the creation of an archbishopric.

POLICE CALLED IT OFF.

Stopped Another Peanut Bettor from Filling an Engagement With Some Specially Novel Features.

Joseph Daine thought enough of Parker's chances as a presidential candidate to bet on them. He agreed in case his favorite lost to roll a peanut along Penn avenue from Shady to Denniston avenue.

Daine is a genius for method. He improved on the old style took pick and crowbar methods. He agreed to roll the peanut with his nose. He was on hand last night to fulfill his bargain, but the police stopped the exhibition.

Daine appeared on time, dressed in long rubber boots and with his knees well padded to stand the wear and tear. He got down on all fours and commenced to "root hog or die." An immense crowd had gathered and cheered him on, but at this point Inspector Boyle and Lieut. McPoland, with a squad of police, ordered the exhibition stopped. The Nineteenth ward "Rough Riders" were out in force, and these and the other auditors objected to the interference, but Inspector Boyle was firm. He threatened to arrest Daine and the project was abandoned.

NEW GLASS TANK TO START.

Two More May Be Moved to Bellevernon—Would Make Plant Largest in the World.

BELLEVERNON, Nov. 14.—(Special.)—Tank No. 2 at factory No. 4 of the American Window Glass Company has been fired, and blowing will be resumed by Saturday. This tank, which was among the first in the country to be equipped with blowing machines, has been closed down several months for repairs. At the time it went out of blast No. 1 tank was put in operation, the local plant thus having had the machines in continuous operation over a year. The output has been increased until it is now in excess of the amount of glass turned out by the old method of hand blowing, while the cost of production has been lessened.

Plans are under consideration to move two more tanks here, which would make this factory the largest window glass plant in the world.

STRIKERS ARE GOING WEST.

Former Hoop Mill Employes Will Get Transportation to Illinois, Where They Are to Work.

YONGSTOWN, O., Nov. 14.—(Special.)—An order has been issued from the Amalgamated headquarters to furnish transportation for 140 men, who will go to the plant of the American Car and Foundry Company at Madison, Ill. The men include the most expert workmen among the strikers at the mills of the American Steel Hoop Company, and they will pay back the cost of the transportation to that point. Only a few of the strikers will be left. Other men have gone to different points, and have secured good positions, according to the officials of the Amalgamated association.

The officials still claim they will not declare the strike off.

TOLD ORIGIN OF ENGLISH TONGUE

Prof. Butler of University of Chicago Lectured on Our Language and Its Future.

MAY BE SPOKEN UNIVERSALLY

"If Caesar, Cicero or Horace were to come back and walk our streets, they would hear many words that would not be foreign to them," declared Prof. Nathaniel Butler, A. M., of the University of Chicago last night, in the Conservatory of Music hall in Dithridge street, talking to the University Extension society on "Studies in English Literature."

The lecture was the first of a series of six to be given by Prof. Butler on the same subject, and his talk last night was entitled "A Historical Survey of the English Language." He dwelt at length on the accepted theories of the location of

NATHANIEL BUTLER, A. M.
Professor of Education, the University of Chicago.

the races in early ages that finally contributed to the body of people that accepted Anglo-Saxon as their tongue on Great Britain's isle, after the invasion of 450 A. D. He cited the fact that centuries before the invasion many things were similarly expressed by races far removed from one another, and contended that there must have originally been a parent race and parent tongue.

He held that English was the youngest and greatest language ever spoken; its diffusion and adaptability, and range and character of its literature, establishing it in the first place. Literature, he said, was alone responsible for maintaining the tongue, for without literature to guide us, dialects would soon destroy the unity of expression.

As we know it, English is 500 years old, dating from the time of Chaucer, but 900 years must be added to take us back to the time when the seeds of English were planted on British soil during the invasion of the Norsemen in 450 A. D.

There is a better prospect than ever, continued Prof. Butler, of English becoming the world's language. Not that a condition is expected wherein all peoples of the earth will speak but one tongue, but that English will be used for more purposes and more widely than any other language. Today there is eight times more English literature published than in any other one tongue, and as French was considered the language of diplomacy, German of learning, and English the language of commerce, so it is expected will English become the world's language for all international transactions.

At the beginning of the eighteenth century French was spoken by 43,000,000 people, German by 30,000,000 and English by 21,000,000. Today English is spoken by 150,000,000, French by 50,000,000 and German by 70,000,000.

The progenitors of mother tongues in the composition of the English language is acknowledged to consist of 60 per cent Latin, 30 per cent Saxon, 5 per cent Greek and 5 per cent of other languages combined, and yet it is known as a Teutonic tongue. The reason for this is that while the dictionary, word for word, shows over 50 per cent of Latin derivations, the majority of words most in use are by far of Teutonic origin.

PRESIDENT GOMPERS TAKES ADVANCE GROUND

Says Unions Should Endeavor to Maintain Industrial Peace.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 14.—President Samuel Gompers, in his address to the American Federation of Labor convention in session in this city, took advanced ground on a number of subjects that have been discussed by trade unions the past year. Among the suggestions and recommendations made by him were:

Labor should resist every attempt to reduce wages; trade unions should have the right to hold their meetings in public school buildings, thus removing them from the saloon; a wider extension of the initiative and referendum, in order that the people should have something to say about legislation; evening lectures should be given in the public school buildings; endeavor to maintain industrial peace by trade agreements with employers and voluntarily and faithfully to abide by and fulfill the terms of agreements and the awards of arbitrators; the interests of the labor movement demand organization along trade lines instead of by industries; trade unions should not be incorporated.

"Of course, no one pretends or believes that all strikes can be won," he said, "but there will be greater victories and fewer defeats when our unions have accumulated funds."

Rifle Club Holds Contest.

The Wilkinsburg club opened a three days' target shooting contest last night in the Colonial building, Wilkinsburg. There will be 20 prizes. The following entries were made: H. Masbaugher, Robert Whistler, H. Anderson, J. H. Storer, Charles Lacey and George Williams. The club will hold a turkey shoot on Thanksgiving day on an outdoor range at Laketon avenue.

Engineer Had Close Call.

John Evans, an engineer at the Black Diamond steel works, narrowly escaped death while at work yesterday, when the cylinder head of his engine blew out. The large plate just passed his body and was crushed into a wall on the opposite side of the mill.

OLD SOLDIERS HOLD A REUNION

Lieut. James M. Lysle Post No. 128 Celebrates Silver Anniversary of Its Organization.

MANY PROMINENT SPEAKERS

Old soldiers from the two cities and vicinity assembled last night in Allegheny Carnegie Music hall to take part in the exercises marking the twenty-fifth anniversary of the organization of Lieut. James M. Lysle post No. 128, Grand Army of the Republic. In the gathering were 500 or more of the men who fought in the battles of the civil war, and on the walls of the big hall were displayed many of the flags that were carried over bloody fields that have since become famous in history.

Thomas G. Sample, who was the first commander of the post at its organiza-

Gen. W. W. Blackmar.

tion in 1879, last night filled the same position. In the quarter of a century of the life of the post Comrade Sample has been elected commander 13 times. Surrounding him on the platform was a group of Grand Army notables such as is seldom brought together on any occasion. If there was any one honor guest perhaps it was Commander-in-Chief W. W. Blackmar of Boston the present head of the Grand Army of the Republic. Gen. Blackmar made a felicitous address after Past Commander C. W. Gerwig had made an address of welcome, and Commander Sample had read the history of the post.

Col. J. M. Schoonmaker, chief-of-staff under Gen. Blackmar, spoke briefly. Department Commander John McNevin talked of post organization and urged the members of various posts to have frequent reunions, as he said the time would not be long for such affairs.

Addresses were also made by Past Commanders-in-Chief Col. R. B. Smith, Post No. 5; Gen. J. P. S. Gobin, Post No. 172; Adjutant General Thomas P. Stewart, Post No. 11, and by Past Department Commanders Gen. John I. Taylor, Post No. 176; Levi McCauley, Post No. 31; W. J. Patterson, Post No. 157; R. P. Scott, Post No. 105, and Edwin Walton, Post No. 63. Congressman William H. Graham also spoke.

An excellent musical program was rendered by Mrs. Irene Semple Blackwell, Edward H. Dermitt, Miss Inez Barber, Mrs. Nettie McFadden Hunter and Will A. Davis.

Lieut. James M. Lysle post was organized in 1879 with 27 members. Its growth was rapid and during the past 25 years it has had on its roster the names of over 800 men of Allegheny county. The present membership is 180. The present officers are: Commander, Thomas G. Sample; senior vice commander, Joseph Crawford; junior vice commander, John D. Gilman; chaplain, Samuel Hough; surgeon, Dr. Charles Orth; quartermaster, George F. Peters; adjutant, John A. Diebold; officer of the day, James Bloom; officer of the guard, George Feicht; quartermaster sergeant, James H. Langsdale; sergeant major, William E. Caldwell; inside sentinel, H. Klip; outside sentinel, A. W. Thompson.

Those composing the anniversary committee and who made arrangements for the affair last night were: Victor Huth, Frederick Cardinal, Louis Smith, Sam H. Long, John K. Hunter, Jacob Goettman, John H. Sprague, James Rafferty, John Buehite, August Moll and C. W. Gerwig.

EAST LIVERPOOL IS BEATEN.

Manchester Passers Win Another Fast Game from the Crockery City Team.

The East Liverpool five went down to defeat again last night before the fast Manchester team, 33 to 25. The game was certainly the fastest the local team has taken part in so far this season. The score at the end of the first half stood 19 to 18 in favor of East Liverpool. Both teams put up a rattling good game, and, although the playing seemed rather rough at times, there was no slugging. The Manchester Juniors defeated the Manhattan team of the Manchester league in a lively preliminary. Lineup of both games:

Manchester—33.	East Liverpool—25.
Patterson-Yeager	R.F. Allison
Koch	L.F. Bloor
Stehle-Metzkes	C. Rigby
Graham	R.G. T. Watkins
Burry	L.G. Chadwick

Goals from field—Koch, 3; Patterson, 2; Graham, 2; Burry, 1; Yeager, 1; Bloor, 3; Rigby, 3; Allison, 1; Watkins, 1; Chadwick, 2. Goals from foul—Graham, 11; Allison, 7. Referee—Zang. Timer—B. Lowrie.

Manchester Jrs.—24.	Manhattan A.C.—11.
Billinger	R.F. Meyers
O'Neil	R.F. Harrington
Tannehill	C. Smyers
Graham	R.G. Dunn
Alton	L.G. Gray

Goals from field—Billinger, 3; Tannehill, 2; O'Neil, 1; Graham, 1; Meyers, 2; Smyers, 1; Dunn, 1; Gray, 1. Goals from foul—Tannehill, 10; Meyers, 1. Referee—King. Timer—B. Lowrie. Scorer—D. Gottlieb.

WILL RESTORE OCEAN RATES.

Representatives of Steamship Lines Approve Terms of Settlement Made at Berlin Conference.

LIVERPOOL, Nov. 14.—At a meeting today of the North Atlantic steamship lines, in the offices of the White Star line, under the presidency of J. Bruce Ismay, president of the International Mercantile Marine Company, the terms of the settlement of the rate war just reached in Berlin were approved, and passenger rates were ordered to be immediately raised to their normal level.

Young Farmer Killed.

GREENSBURG, PA., Nov. 14.—(Special.)—While driving to Indiana county to spend a week hunting, Jesse F. Kaylor, a young farmer, near Greensburg, was killed by being thrown from his buggy on the Five Points road. He was 20 years old, and is survived by his widow and a daughter.

River Man Commits Suicide.

CINCINNATI, O., Nov. 14.—Henry J. Immenhort, a well-known coal and river man, committed suicide today.

CHARGED WITH BURNING STORE

Ohio Man Arrested in California on Indictment for Arson.

COMMITTED 20 YEARS AGO

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

TOLEDO, O., Nov. 14.—C. E. Goodell, fire marshal in this district, left here for Columbus today to join Fire Marshal Garrett Fox and secure the papers necessary for bringing George E. Letcher, who was arrested at San Jose, Cal., back to Williams county, Ohio, for trial on the charge of arson. Goodell and Fox started for San Jose this afternoon.

Letcher was a prominent merchant at Montpelier a number of years ago, and he is accused of burning a general store belonging to himself and collecting the insurance, which amounted to $50,000. The alleged crime was committed more than 20 years ago. Letcher was indicted about four years ago, when the fire marshals began to investigate the doings of the famous Morrison gang, and since then has been a fugitive from justice.

The indictment was brought as the result of a confession by Soi Winn, who was indicted by the grand jury which investigated a number of similar cases in Williams county. Winn was implicated with the gang which had been operating in Fulton and Williams counties and committed suicide after his indictment.

In connection with these famous arson cases the trial of Jackson Swisher for arson was concluded at Wauseon Saturday, and he was convicted. Sentence has not yet been passed. At a former trial of Swisher the jury disagreed.

EPWORTH LEAGUE CONTROL.

Important Board Meeting Will Begin in This City Tomorrow—Noted Speakers Coming.

The board of control of the Epworth leagues of the world, will meet at the Monongahela House on Wednesday and Thursday of this week to consider the plans and prospects of Epworth league work for the coming year. The board consists of clergymen from all sections of this country and Canada and the meeting, which is an annual one, promises to be of much import to constituent organizations.

Thursday afternoon the Epworth league convention of the Pittsburgh conference opens at Vandergrift, Pa., and continues until Saturday night. On Thursday evening the principal speakers will be the Rev. Dr. Randall, secretary of the board of control, and Bishop J. M. Thoburn. Friday evening Bishop J. F. Berry and S. Earle Taylor will speak, while on Saturday evening, George Heber Jones of Korea will address the meeting.

In connection with the board of control sessions, special services will be held in Southern Avenue Methodist Episcopal church, Wilkinsburg, Wednesday evening, when Bishop Berry will speak, and in the Brushton Methodist Episcopal church Thursday evening, when Dr. Herben will make an address. An effort is being made to arrange a meeting for Allegheny on Friday or Saturday night.

Trimmed hat bargains, 1.00

THE J. E. Hahlo Co., 620 Broadway, N. Y., manufacturers of the celebrated "J. E. H. Co." hats, recently met with a misfortune — their building being slightly damaged by fire. The insurance company made a quick adjustment—the hats were almost given away. We secured several hundred—not one of which was in any wise hurt by fire or water. They're $3, $4 and $5 values—take your choice for..... 1.00

KAUFMANN'S
"THE BIG STORE"

Sale of Mills & Gibbs curtains

AS announced yesterday we've purchased this season's entire surplus stock of Mills & Gibbs, one of the leading curtain manufacturing and importing concerns of New York. This offer will give you an idea of the wonderful values offered. Beautiful Nottingham, Scotch and Egyptian lace thread curtains, in real Arabian, brussels, renaissance and Irish point lace effects—50 to 60 in. wide and 3½ yds. long—regular $2, $3 and $4 curtains at, pair..... 1.39

Annual Pre-Holiday Clearance Sale

THIS clearance movement is fraught with more exceptional values than any of its predecessors—all occasioned through most natural and logical causes. Throughout the entire country, in both wholesale and retail markets, there has has been a stagnancy in trade this fall, due, most likely, to agitated conditions influenced by the national election. There was plenty of money about, but there seemed to be a tight grip upon it. Now prosperity can come only when there is a broad circulation of currency—a free trade exchange of money.

Many manufacturers were compelled through the immediate need of cash to sacrifice much of their stock. With the powerful lever of ready money we accomplished wonders last week in the New York market.

THIS ADVERTISEMENT CONTAINS BUT A TITHE OF THE MANY UNPRECEDENTED OFFERINGS

Crepe lisse ruching 200 pieces of the regular 25c quality crepe lisse ruching, yours to choose from today at the reduced price of 15c yard. This ruching is a beautiful quality and comes in the new shell pattern. It's stiff enough to keep its shape, but will not scratch the neck. Comes in white, black, blue, pink and other colors. We'll have no trouble disposing of the entire lot today at, yard..... 15c

Women's 25c embroidered handkerchiefs—extra quality sheer linen, hand embroidered and hemstitched, each..... 15c

Pure silk taffeta ribbons—in a good line of colors, also black and white, 4 inches wide, very nice for children's hair—our 19c quality today, yard..... 12½c

Umbrellas half price Today we'll offer several hundred of our regular 89c umbrellas for 44c. Both men's and women's sizes are included. All are made with steel rods and paragon frames, covered with good quality mercerized gloria. There's quite a variety of handles to choose from—boxwood, plain and trimmed horn, metal and mother-of-pearl. All have been reduced from 89c to..... 44c

Men's and women's union taffeta silk umbrellas—which have been selling for $1.50 and $1.75, special today at..... 98c

Fine taffeta silk umbrellas for men and women—the $3 kind, special today at..... 1.98

Sale of children's aprons This is a combination sale of a manufacturer's sample line and all the slightly soiled aprons from our own stock, which we're anxious to close out to make way for our regular Holiday lines. The shrewd mother will see in this sale a splendid opportunity to supply the girls with school aprons. All sizes 2 to 14 years—divided into three lots, at 1.00, 50c and..... 19c

Children's flannelette nightgowns or sleeping garments—just what the little ones need for these cold nights—special at..... 25c

Children's woolen dresses—new long waisted styles, made of various pretty materials, sizes 2 to 6 years—special at..... 1.00

$5 to $9 skirts at 3.65 Even though you've a full complement of skirts, you can't afford to let this offer slip by, when smart, modish garments can be bought for so little. Walking length, ankle length and dress skirts are included—in cheviots, broadcloths, panamas and fancy Scotch mixtures—black, blue, brown, castor and fancy patterns—$5, $6.50, $7.50 and $9 values, at..... 3.65

Women's all wool separate skirts—walking or dress lengths, very stylish effects—regularly $3.98, special today..... 1.90

Women's fur scarfs—short or long, in French lynx, beaver and marten—worth $3.50, special at..... 1.98

New Paris veilings 300 pieces new Paris veilings in this sale at half price. All the newest ideas are represented—new hair line meshes with the new velvet beauty spots—new large chenille spots, new complexion veils, new tuxedo nets, etc.—in black, navy and brown. Remember, these are new and wanted styles—not the sort usually offered at special sales—they're all 50c values, offered today only at, yard..... 25c

Chiffon veiling—with the new crepe finish, 22 in. wide, both edges fast—brown, navy, green, black, white, etc.—75c quality, special, yd.. 59c

Maline net—plain white, black and spotted maline, for making those fluffy neck bows—regular 25c quality, special, yd..... 10c

French challie special 59c strictly pure wool French challie at 25c yd. There's sure to be a big response to this offer today. These challies come in a most beautiful assortment of plain colors, embracing all the wanted shades from cream to black. Included in this offer are also a great variety of printed French challies, in light and dark grounds, with dots, stripes, figures and floral patterns—all 50c goods at, yd..... 25c

Black goods special—44 in. pure wool panne zibeline suiting, with mirror face—splendid $1.25 quality, at, yd..... 75c

52 in. pure wool French Venetian cloth—in all the fashionable Fall shades for tailored gowns—the regular $1.25 quality, special today, yd..... 69c

Leather hand bags 59c ones for 39c. We could easily hold these bags until the holiday season opens and obtain full price for them. But we bought this lot away under the regular wholesale price, and, as usual, we share our good fortune with you. These hand bags come in black, brown and tan, with strong braided handles—fancy and plain moire lined—fitted with small change purse—they'll go quickly at..... 39c

Women's carriage bags—made of fine imitation walrus leather—the $1.50 kind at..... 98c

Women's carriage bags—in walrus and sea lion, neatly fitted and trimmed—the $2.25 kind, this sale..... 1.50

Table damask special 100 pieces of standard quality 72-in. table damask, on sale today at $1 per yd., instead of $1.50, the regular price. This damask comes in all the newest designs — carnation, large scroll, fleur de lis, lilly, clover, poppy, bunch of grapes, pansy and daisy, fern and sweet pea and the American Beauty rose. You save 50c on every yard you buy at..... 1.00

Wash goods special—500 remnants of percales, dress ginghams and flannelettes—regular 12½c goods at, yd..... 8⅓c

White goods—the full 12-yard pieces of long cloth, free from all chemicals—regularly $1.50, today, per piece..... 98c

Girls' coat special Girls' and misses' new tourist and long coats—regular $8.50 and $10 values—today at 4.90. Such an offer as this is bound to interest all mothers with daughters to clothe. These coats come in plain colored cheviots, kerseys and cheviots, also fancy mixtures, trimmed with velvets, plain cloth and braid; full box back with belt. All sizes 10 to 18 years, at..... 4.90

Girls' and misses' dresses—in plaids or fancy mixtures, lined throughout—would be good value for $2, special today..... 95c

Girls' long and short coats—in cheviots, zibelines and kerseys, all sizes—$5 and $6 values, special..... 2.24

Special 15c sale flannels Flannels for every use to which they can be put are embraced in this sale—plain white flannels for underwear — fine printed flannels for house dresses—fine printed flannels for kimonos—fine printed flannels for waists—double fleeced flannels for bath robes—superfine flannels, Persian effects, large and small plaids, etc. They're all fresh, new goods—475 pieces in the lot, choice today, yard..... 15c

Imported waist patterns—of French vesting and embroidered pique, would be good value for $2.50, special today..... 1.48

Sheeting special—7-4 half-bleached sheeting—standard 20c quality—special today, a yd.. 12½c

Men's neckwear special Men's regular 50c neckwear for 25c. Not old stock reduced, but fresh new 2¼ in. wide four-in-hands just received from one of New York's best neckwear makers. They're made of the short ends of silks this maker usually puts into his 50c neckwear. Only a few of each kind, but a big assortment as a whole. All the latest colorings, including plenty of browns—regular 50c neckwear at..... 25c

Men's handkerchiefs—large size, linen finish, hemstitched borders—regular 12½c handkerchiefs at..... 5c

Men's collars—all the new Fall shapes, the regular 15c kind, special..... 3 for 25c

Collar and cuff sets The present great demand for collar and cuff sets makes this offer all the more interesting. We've exactly 100 dozen of the new English Eyelet embroidered collar and cuff sets to sell for a quarter. These are such perfect reproductions of the hand-made goods that you'll have to look twice before you can distinguish them from the sets costing $2 and $3. They'll go very quickly at, per set..... 25c

Top collars—new hand drawn Mexican work top collars—one-piece style with square corners—special..... 25c

Large lace collars—pretty deep lace shoulder collars, point Venise, white or butter color—regular value $1.25, special today..... 75c

Boys' serge suits Regular $4 and $5 values at 2.90. These suits are made of fine 18-oz. serge, in navy, red, brown, green and royal—Russian blouse, sailor and Buster Brown styles, trimmed with braid and embroidery on sleeves. At the same special price we'll also offer today boys' stylish ¾ length navy or army blue overcoats, lined with red flannel. They've all been reduced from $4 and $5 to..... 2.90

Boys' $5 and $6 suits for 3.90—swell double breasted and Russian blouse styles—also the new double breasted Norfolk overcoats..... 3.90

Boys' overcoat special—boys' long cut overcoats, made of warm oxford frieze—regular $3 value, special at..... 1.85

Sample ribbed underwear Here's an opportunity to secure the better and best grades of swiss ribbed union suits, vests and pants, tights and corset covers at large savings. These goods represent the entire sample line of one of the largest makers of swiss ribbed underwear. They come in all-wool, silk and wool and silk. The values range from $1.50 to $10. The sale prices are 2.50, 1.50 and..... 1.00

Women's natural wool underwear—all sizes, a much superior quality to that which you can usually buy for 75c, today..... 50c

Women's nightgowns—made of neat striped flannelette, would be good value for 50c, special today..... 35c

$10 and $12 coats for 6.95 The Tourist coat is one of the best selling styles of the season. Here's a chance to get a real nobby one for only 6.95; made of covert materials or fancy Scotch mixtures—the swell 42-in. length, in the new belted effect, pleated or with seams—collarless or shaped lapels, plain or trimmed with velvet—real $10 and $12 coats for..... 6.95

Women's jackets—jaunty short covert cloth jackets, tourist coats and fine kersey jackets, real value $9, this special sale..... 5.00

Women's raincoats—guaranteed shower-proof—new tan, olive and oxford shades—real value $12, special today at..... 9.50

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FOOTBALL TEAMS PREPARE FOR FINAL STRUGGLES

KISKI CELEBRATES A GREAT VICTORY

W. U. P. Has Practice Behind Closed Gates at Exposition Baseball Park.

HIGH SCHOOL'S GOOD WORK

Kiski celebrated its great victory over Shadyside last night in a fitting manner. All yesterday afternoon the students collected material for a huge bonfire on the campus, and early in the evening it was lit and continued burning until midnight.

The students sang and danced around the fire, and their songs told how their team had vanquished Shadyside, their ancient rivals, and had wrested the championship from them. Capt. Harry Gordon was the first called on by the students to speak, and he thanked all the players individually for their co-operation during the season in the endeavor to give Shadyside its first defeat in five years by a Kiski eleven.

Principals Wilson, Fair and MacColl and the coaches addressed the students. The players were also called on for speeches.

At Shadyside yesterday morning the usual cheer for the team was given at the conclusion of the chapel. The coaches gave the players a day off. Kiski closed its season last Saturday.

W. U. P.

Coach Mosse yesterday had practice behind closed gates at Exposition park. One of the largest squads of the season was out, there being fully 25 men on the field. Mosse had signal and scrimmage work and the afternoon's practice was finished with association football. Mosse tried the old English game for the purpose of "getting wind."

The practice was enlivened by the fierce attacks of the scrubs, who scored one touchdown, Elliott taking the ball over the line on straight line bucks. Ferry was not in the practice and Cree played his end. East, at the other end, did some of the most effective work of the practice in smashing interferences and taking the ball for runs. Jud Schmidt injured his shoulder slightly, but he will be around today again.

Capt. Thompson, who with East, attended the State-Dickinson game, reported that State outplayed Dickinson four to one. Mosse will use the regulars in the game against the Ohio university Saturday. The officials for the State game will be chosen today.

The W. U. P. athletic association will meet tonight and will take action on the suggestion of awarding "P's" to the varsity players instead of the "W. U. P."

Pittsburgh High School.

Thirty-five High school boys took part in the practice yesterday at Friendship park. The coaches were able to form a strong scrub team, but no hard scrimmages took place. However, there will be lively scrimmages this afternoon. Worrell, Verner and McAllister reported for practice, all being in fine shape but Verner, who will be in trim for the work today.

Greer Orr, who has been out of the game for some time, will probably be in the lineup against Shadyside Saturday. Orr was one of the strongest linemen on last year's team, but this season he has been relegated to the scrubs. He is too good a player to be kept off the team, and an effort will be made to have him change his mind. Schmidt is another lineman that will probably change his determination to stay out of the game. These two players will add strength to the team.

Enthusiasm is all ablaze at the High school since the victory of Kski over Shadyside. The high students feel they have the material for victory in the coming game, and all that is necessary is the hearty support of the student body. A rally was held at the Fifth Avenue building yesterday afternoon at which many of the "goats" listened with great interest to the explanation of the general rules of how the game is played, and the enthusiastic speeches of different members of the faculty and Coach Hough.

Western Claimants.

As was the case last year, two western football teams threaten to finish the season without a defeat, and to dispute the claim for the championship title. The University of Michigan finished the season Saturday with its great victory over Chicago. Students at Ann Arbor saw in its undefeated eleven the rightful claimant for first honors among western teams.

The University of Minnesota defeated Wisconsin by the score of 28 to 0, precisely the same total which Yost's machine rolled up on the Badgers. The Badgers did not profess themselves weaker in Saturday's game than they were against Michigan, and on this comparison supporters of the Gopher eleven claim first honors for Williams' squad.

Michigan has not been defeated and is through for the year. The same does not hold with Minnesota, as the Gophers still have two more games to play. They meet Northwestern next Saturday in Chicago, and on Thanksgiving day they face the University of Iowa team. Iowa was defeated by Nebraska, the team which held Minnesota to 16 points and scored 12 themselves. From this the Minnesota rooters argue that the Hawkeyes should be easy picking. It is consequently taken for granted that Minnesota will beat Iowa, but what about Northwestern? With four out of the seconding, the championship honors would hang on this game, from a Minnesota viewpoint.

Michigan has had more points scored against it than has Minnesota up to date. Michigan has played 10 games and rolled up 507 points in 440 minutes, or an average of about 1¼ points for every minute. It has made 95 touchdowns.

Minnesota, counting the game with Wisconsin, has played 11 games, or one more than Michigan, for a total number of 606 points, or at the rate of over 1 1-3 points a minute of actual play.

Big Prep. Game.

Unless negotiations which are all but completed are broken off unexpectedly, the third interscholastic football game between teams of the middle west and east will be played between the Phillips Exeter academy eleven of Exeter, N. H., and the North Division High school team of Chicago. The teams will play at the Boston American league baseball grounds November 26.

The contest will be played under the auspices of the Exeter club of Harvard university and with the financial backing of the Boston American league club. Negotiations have been pending for the past two weeks.

The game, if it takes place, will be the greatest attempted between schools of the two sections. The Chicago boys have heretofore played Brooklyn teams, which it is claimed by easterners, are not representative teams. Exeter, however, is admitted to be one of the strongest, if not the best, school team in the east.

The Exeter boys defeated their greatest rivals, Andover, Saturday, 35 to 10. The North Division boys feel that if they meet Exeter they will have a chance to display their skill against one of the pick of the east, and are confident of showing the eastern critics that the west has at least the best scholastic teams.

North Division has not been defeated by a high school eleven in two years, and practically clinched the Chicago championship Saturday by defeating Englewood 11 to 4. Oak Park is the only team to be played, and an easy victory is expected.

WESTMINSTER'S HARD LUCK.

Team Returns from Hiram in Battered Condition—Tennant to Coach.

NEW WILMINGTON, PA., Nov. 14.—(Special.)—The Westminster eleven returned from its trip to Hiram in condition that is heartbreaking to the students here. Full Back Locke, Right Half Back Marks, Capt. Cleland and Right Guard Gordon are all on the hospital list. Locke has a strained shoulder. Marks has the ligaments in his ankle torn. With these two out of the game the supporters of the team are dubious about the outcome of the remaining contests.

E. A. Tennant, of Caledonia, N. Y., for three years end and half back on Westminster team, will assist "Pop" Hayes in coaching the back field for the remaining games. The Grove City-Westminster game which was scheduled for this place on next Saturday will likely be played in New Castle, because the New Castle grounds will accommodate a large crowd.

Junctions Defeat Homestead.

NEW BRIGHTON, Pa., Nov. 14.—(Special.)—The Junction basketball team of New Brighton defeated the Homestead A. C. here tonight 29 to 10. Two preliminaries were played. Newbrighton H. S. defeated Monaca Y. M. C. A. 32 to 2, and Junction Juniors defeated College Hill 12 to 10. Line-up:

Junction—29.		Homestead—10.
Ralph	Forward	Lippold
Swartz	Forward	Getsinger
Mitchell	Center	Steele
Molten	Guard	Kenzin
Beaver	Guard	Jones

Goals from field—Ralph 3, Swartz 4, Mitchell 2, Beaver 4, Lippold 3, Steele, Kenzin. Goals from fouls—Ralph 2, Swartz.

TUTORED STUDENTS BARRED IN THE SCHOOL LEAGUE

Worcester, Elected, but Declines Captaincy of the Allegheny Prep. Seven. Dates Are Arranged.

The officers and captains of the interscholastic hockey league last night decided to observe the same rules for the coming season that governed the league in the past few years. One subject that received considerable discussion was that of tutored students playing on the teams. It was decided to bar these players unless they are regularly registered students taking a reasonable amount of work each week. This was merely a precautionary move.

The season will open next Tuesday night at Duquesne garden, Shadyside and Pittsburgh High school playing. East Liberty academy and Allegheny Prep. will meet Friday night. Secretary Ahl has not completed the schedule. The league has dates set for the rest of November and the month of December, and after these dates have been filled another schedule will be arranged. The dates call for night games as follows: November 22, 25, 29; December 2, 10, 13, 16, 20, 22, 27, 30.

The Allegheny Preps. players met yesterday afternoon to elect a captain. On the third ballot Worcester received three votes, but declined to accept. The candidates were Fahenstock, Worcester and Lyons, the latter captain of last year's seven. Two votes were cast for each candidate on the first two ballots, but on the third another player joined in the voting and threw his vote to Worcester.

The Athletic association will act on Worcester's refusal today. Lyons represented the Preps. at last night's meeting.

PADDEN WILL COACH.

Pirates Old Second Baseman to Help Wash-Jeff Players.

WASHINGTON, PA., Nov. 14.—(Special.)—Dick Padden, captain of the St. Louis American baseball team, will assist the coaching department of the W. and J. team next spring. Manager Davis stated today that a regular coach would be secured for the baseball nine which is expected to prove strong. He has several men on his string, but has not yet made a selection. Davis promises the best list of baseball attractions in the history of the college.

The Wheeling Central league team will be met and the eastern trip will include games with Lafayette and Princeton.

GROVE CITY RESERVES WIN BY ONE POINT

GROVE CITY, PA., Nov. 14.—(Special.)—The Westminster College reserves fell down before the Grove City College reserves today in a pretty struggle, the locals winning by one point by a trick play. The visitors scored a touchdown in the first half, but missed goal. In the second half Grove City, by straight line bucking, scored a touchdown and goal. Simmons' line plunges were the features. Lineup:

Grove City—6.		Westminster—5.
Seanor	R. E.	Calhoun
Shaffer	R. T.	Tannehill
McFunkin	R. G.	Moore
R. Cheeseman	C	Carl
Moats	L. G.	Nevin
Baldwin	L. T.	Orr
Marshall	L. E.	Woods
Larkin	Q. B.	Cochran
Bingham	R. H.	McKay
T. Cheeseman	L. H.	Leach
Simons	F. B.	Long

Substitution—Fulton for Woods. Touchdowns—Simons, Leach. Goal—Baldwin. Referee and umpire, alternating—Locke and Campbell. Time of halves—20 minutes.

WILL TRY IT AGAIN.

Lou Dillon to Make Another Attempt at the Record.

MEMPHIS, TENN., Nov. 14.—Because of a controversy over the time made by Lou Dillon last week when it was announced that she trotted a mile in 2:01, Millard Sanders, trainer of the mare, intends to start her on Wednesday next against the former mark of 2:01¼, weather conditions being favorable.

Tigers Chose Cooney Captain.

PRINCETON, Nov. 14.—(Special.)—At a meeting of the Princeton football eleven James T. Cooney of Scranton, Pa., the big Tiger tackle, was elected captain for next year. Cooney, who is a sophomore, has played left tackle on the Princeton eleven for two years and was one of the most consistent players on the team this fall. Cooney is a star man in baseball. He was catcher on the Princeton team which won from Yale last June. He was vice president of the freshman class in his first year and is one of the most popular men in his class. He is 24 years old, weighs 185 pounds and is 5 feet 10½ inches tall. His election meets the hearty approval of the entire college.

Latrobe Team in Demand.

LATROBE, PA., Nov. 14.—(Special.)—The management of the Harrisburg Athletic association has asked Manager Miller to take the Latrobe football team to Harrisburg for a Thanksgiving game with either the Steelton team, that was defeated by Latrobe on Saturday, or the Bucknell college team.

AMATEUR FOOTBALL GOSSIP.

The Monterey 45-pound team will play the Shover A. C. of Elliott Saturday.

The manager of the Ben Avon Field club is requested to call 226 Carnegie building and ask for Ross.

The Labelle players are to report this evening at 7:30 o'clock at McKnight's park in full uniform.

The Imperials have Saturday open for any 75-pound teams. Address William McMoil, 97 Soho street, city.

The East Lyceum Reserves claim the 75-pound championship. Address W. J. Juergens, 4620 Liberty avenue, city.

The Devlins are out for the 75-pound championship. Address Julius Greder, 52 Fourteenth street, Pittsburgh.

The Birmingham A. C. of Avalon wants games. Address C. W. Sheeh, 721 Forest avenue, Avalon, Pa., or call 2872 Court.

The Lightner Tigers of East Pittsburgh challenge good 90-pound out-of-town teams. J. Garrity, box 566, East Pittsburgh, Pa.

The Knoxville A. C. would like to hear from 65 to 75-pound teams. Address E. Kaul, 1122 Union station, city, or call Union station 91.

The Highlands have November 19, 24 and 26 open for 70-pound teams. Address Paul Evans, 5141 Woodlawn avenue, or call 450 W. Schenley.

The Lowell H. team would like to hear from a strong 75-pound team for Saturday. Address Fred Kemmerer, 154 Carver street, East End, city.

The Sewickley Y. M. C. A. team is without a game for next Saturday. Any first-class team desired. Address H. C. Bartholomaw, Sewickley.

The Pastime Reserves would like to hear from some good 75-pound team for Saturday. Address William J. McAllister, 2140 Bedford avenue, city.

The Hazelwood Tigers would like to hear from any good 60 or 65-pound team for Saturday. Address Franklin Rueh, 89 Flowers avenue, Hazelwood.

The Curry A. C. claims the 50 to 60-pound championship. For games address Harry Eichenberg, corner Thirty-third street and Melwood avenue, Pittsburgh.

The Bolivar team wants a game with a 100-pound team for Saturday, November 19, at Bolivar. Address J. L. Hammond, Bolivar, Pa. Bell 'phone 18-2.

The Lowell H. is without a game for Saturday and would like to hear from all 70 to 75-pound teams. Address Fred Kemmerer, 154 Carver street, Pittsburgh.

Owing to Scottdale disbanding, Iron City has Thanksgiving day open for any good out-of-town team; also Saturday, November 19. Write C. W. Dittrich, 3815 Butler street, city.

The Linwood A. C. is without a game for next Saturday and would like to hear from any 85 to 90-pound team. Address George Brandenstein, 1000 Lincoln avenue, East End.

The Waltons are without a game for November 19 and 26 and would like to hear from some good 70 to 75-pound team. Address Charles Neddermeyer, Grand Avenue, Allegheny.

North Braddock would like to hear from teams playing at 90 pounds, to be played at North Braddock on November 19. Address Emil F. Maley, 186 Wolfe avenue, North Braddock.

The Sycamore Reserves claim the 60-pound championship. All players are to report for practice Tuesday evening at 7:30 o'clock. For games address Frank Boyd, 616 W. Robinson street, Allegheny.

The Central Lyceum of Braddock received the Imperial A. C. letter too late to appear on their field, but went to Hazelwood and met defeat at the hands of Trenton A. A. a 75-pound team, 15 to 6.

The Pershots light team will play the Brightons, Saturday. They also would like to hear from some strong out-of-town 75-pound team for Thanksgiving afternoon. W. E. Gillespie, 507 Union station, Pittsburgh.

The Tarpy A. C. of Allegheny has disputed the Labelle claim to the 85-pound championship, and desires to hear from the Labelles or the Maplewoods for next Saturday or Thanksgiving day on the Tarpy A. C. grounds. Address J. J. Koecher, 1645 Miller street, Allegheny.

Heston, Michigan's Fleet Captain Who Retires From The College Game This Fall

FAVORITES SHOWED TO THE FRONT AT AQUEDUCT

Oxford Won the Handicap Event, and Coy Levy Maid Equalled the Track Record.

(By Associated Press to The Gazette.)

NEW YORK, Nov. 14.—Oxford, backed from 4 to 1 to 13 to 5, easily won the Babylon handicap for 2-year-olds, six furlongs, at Aqueduct today. Bank was the early pacemaker. In the stretch Oxford took the lead and won by two and a half lengths. King Cole closed very strong in the last furlong, beating Cairnform a neck for the place.

Coy Maid, winner of the second race, equaled the track record of :59 3-5 for five furlongs. By winning today she scored her fifth consecutive victory. Two favorites won. Summaries:

First race, selling, 7 furlongs—Rob Roy, 98, Travers, 4 to 1 and 8 to 5, won; Brooklynite, 99, Notter, 2 to 1 and 7 to 5, second; The Huguenot, 108, Shaw, 4 to 1 and 8 to 5, third. Time, 1:29 3-5.

Second race, five furlongs—Coy Maid, 110, Redfern, 2 to 1 and 4 to 5, won; Santa Claus, 105, Burns, 21 to 5 and 4 to 5, second; Zeala, 110, Shaw, 9 to 10 and 1 to 4, third. Time, :59 3-5.

Third race, the Babylon handicap, six furlongs—Oxford, 105, Martin, 13 to 5 and 3 to 10, won; King Cole, 95, Crimmins, 12 to 1 and 4 to 1, second; Cairngorm, 103, Burns, 8 to 1 and even, third. Time, 1:15 2-5.

Fourth race, one mile—Lord Badge, 119, Redfern, 9 to 5 and 1 to 2, won; Graceful, 105, Travers, 14 to 5 and 4 to 5, second; Proceeds, 95, Crimmins, 12 to 1 and 3 to 1, third. Time, 1:44 4-5.

Fifth race, selling, one mile and a sixteenth—Akela, 105, Burns, 8 to 1 and 3 to 1, won; Prince Salm Salm, 92, Schilling, 7 to 1 and 2 to 1, second; Arsenal, 101, Cochran, 30 to 1 and 10 to 1, third. Time, 1:51 4-5.

Sixth race, five furlongs—Campo, 108, Shaw, 5 to 2 and even, won; Long Days, 108, Phillips, 8 to 1 and 3 to 1, second; Black Cat, 108, E. Walsh, 7 to 2 and 7 to 5, third. Time, 1:01.

FAVORITE WAS BEATEN.

Schwarzwald Won the Steeplechase Event at Latonia.

CINCINNATI, Nov. 14.—Schwarzwald, heavily played, easily captured the steeplechase over the clubhouse course at Latonia today. The weight proved too heavy for the odds-on favorite, Thornhedge, and he barely got third money. Weather cold, track slow. Summaries:

First race, 6½ furlongs—Nervator, 102, Nicol, 9 to 2, won; Maggie Loeber, 100, Paul, 10 to 1, second; Lole, 97, R. Head, 60 to 1, third. Time, 1:23¾.

Second race, 1 mile—Annie Williams, 107, Nicol, 5 to 2, won; Varro, 105, Dugan, 18 to 5, second; Prof. Neville, 105, Truebel, 7 to 2, third. Time, 1:44.

Third race, 5 furlongs—Ethel Davis, 106, Troxler, 9 to 5, won; Fruit, 102, Nicol, 3 to 1, second; Bonnie Sue, 102, Lewis, 10 to 1, third. Time, 1:01¾.

Fourth race, steeplechase, clubhouse course—Schwarzwald, 164, Pemberton, 5 to 1, won; Allegiance, 128, Weinman, 15 to 1, second; Thornhedge, 175, Brazil, 3 to 5, third. Time, 3:34.

Fifth race, 5½ furlongs—Foxhunting, 106, Minder, 6 to 1, won; Arthur Cummer, 104, Paul, 6 to 1, second; J. B. Smith, 112, Boland, 8 to 1, third. Time, 1:10.

Sixth race, mile and 70 yards—Estrada Palma, 112, Nicol, 7 to 10, won; Miss Doyle, 104, Romanelli, 16 to 5, second; Benckart, 100, Treubel, 5 to 1, third. Time, 1:46¾.

Kiski Third Team Loses.

GREENSBURG, PA., Nov. 14.—(Special.)—The Polkadots won from the Kiski third team this afternoon, 10 to 2. Werkman and Cline were the stars for the locals, Jamison and Wilson for Kiski. The lineup:

Polkadots—10.		Kiski—2.
Shope	L. E.	Guthrie
Cope	L. T.	Earhart
Slicker	L. G.	Fetters
Sickenberger	C	Smith
Watkins	R. G.	Daub
Maseri	R. T.	Feiser
Jones	R. E.	Jamison
Spindler	Q. B.	Morrow
Cline	R. H.	Hires
Werkman	F. B.	Lewis

Touchdowns—Werkman, Cline. Safety—Brown. Referee—Gay. Umpire—Dixon. Time—20 and 15 minutes.

Close Play in Pool Contests.

Two more games were played in the pool tournament at the Wilkinsburg Casino last night. In the first game Crutcher defeated Warden 50 to 38, and in the second Brundley defeated Warful 50 to 46.

BASEBALL GOSSIP.

Bob Fender, a former Youngstown player, who will manage the Jacksonville, Fla., team next season, is trying to induce Pitcher John Bracken, Pitcher Bob Spade and Secondbaseman Harry Smith of the Kent, O., independent team to sign with him. Spade is a fine pitcher and outfielder, and comes near being the longest hitter on the independent circuit.

"Red" Calhoun is wondering where he will land finally. Toledo now has him reserved for next year. "Red" is liable to throw up the league jobs and manage an independent team next year.

AMONG THE PASSERS.

The St. Aloysius Juniors want games. Address Charles Wiehl, 2812 Sarah street, city.

The Birmingham team will open its season with D. L. G. A. tonight on D. L. G. A. floor.

The Eclipse Seniors desire games with all senior teams having halls. Address John Evans, First avenue, Carnegie.

Newman meets East Liberty five on Newman floor tonight. The Newman Reserves will meet the Olympia Juniors in the preliminary.

The Fairbanks will play at East Liverpool tonight. All Fairbanks players are to report at the Fort Wayne station, Allegheny, at 5:15 sharp.

WALTER TRAVIS RATED ABOVE H. CHANDLER EGAN

Eastern Expert Selects Him as Golf Leader and Three Pittsburgh Players Are Named.

In rating the golfers of the United States for the season of 1904, H. L. Fitzpatrick, a well-known writer on the fascinating outdoor sport, again places Walter J. Travis at the head of the list.

While admitting that Mr. Travis has lost some of his titles which he formerly held on this side of the Atlantic, Mr. Fitzpatrick calls attention to the fact that he won the championship in Great Britain, of itself an achievement of which no other American golfer can boast, and in addition to that he has played a steady and uniform game since his return, interspersed now and then with really phenomenal scores, which is sufficient to retain his prestige as the best of our home players.

H. Chandler Egan is placed second on the list because of the wonderful record which he has made this year, a record which Mr. Fitzpatrick thinks will stand for a long time unrivalled, just as that of young "Tom" Morris has headed the golfing register for so many years in England.

Mr. Fitzpatrick's new names for 1904 include Travers, W. C. Downes, Jr., White, McBurney, Fredericks and Ward. His list for the present season, as well as the ratings made out by him in 1902 and 1903, are as follows:

1902.	
W. J. Travis.	A. G. Lockwood.
E. S. Douglas.	W. E. Egan.
E. M. Byers.	C. Hitchcock, Jr.
H. C. Egan.	H. B. Macdonald.
C. B. Macdonald.	A. Kennaday.
G. A. Ormiston.	H. B. Hollins, Jr.
F. O. Reinhart.	L. C. Meyers.
G. H. Seely.	
1903.	
W. J. Travis.	C. B. Macdonald.
E. M. Byers.	F. O. Reinhart.
H. C. Egan.	A. Kennaday.
W. E. Egan.	G. T. Brokaw.
F. S. Douglas.	H. B. McFarland.
A. G. Lockwood.	W. C. Chick.
Bruce Smith.	C. H. Seely.
G. A. Ormiston.	N. S. Campbell.
1904.	
W. E. Egan.	
H. B. McFarland.	
W. J. Travis.	D. P. Fredericks.
E. S. Douglas.	J. M. Ward.
W. C. Downes, Jr.	C. B. Macdonald.
G. A. Ormiston.	A. G. Lockwood.
A. L. White.	E. M. Byers.
M. McBurney.	F. O. Reinhart.

The compiler of averages naively adds that his lists for 1902 and 1903 were in some instances harshly criticised. The criticism, however, has not deterred him from making a rating for the present season.

OLD STARS BEATEN.

West Virginia Varsity Wins an Annual Affair—Lew Smith in Game. Kiski Third Team Loses.

MORGANTOWN, W. VA., Nov. 14.—(Special.)—The West Virginia university team defeated the old Stars, an eleven composed of members of former university teams, today, 18 to 0. In a game full of excitement here this afternoon the Old Stars were handicapped by the non-appearance of several of the Old Stars. Four second team men had to be substituted in their places.

Lew Smith, outfielder of the Pittsburgh National league team, played the best game for the has-beens. Wiant and Whitham also deserve special mention. Hall and Yeardly came in for the stellar part of the varsity's performance.

Touchdowns—Ernst, Hall 2. Officials—Harman and Brainard. Timekeepers—Morgan and Weaver. Linemen—Stout and Walker. Time of halves—20 minutes.

Will Battle for Championship.

SPOKANE, WASH., Nov. 14.—Papers were signed today for a fight between Jerry McCarthy and the Dixie Kid for the welterweight championship of the world. The fight is to take place at Baltimore on December 7. The men are to weigh in at 142 pounds at 4 p. m. on the day of the fight.

Would Not Grant Fight Permit.

WASHINGTON, PA., Nov. 14.—(Special.)—The 10-round boxing match scheduled for Wednesday, November 23, between Solly Johnson, a local lightweight, and Jimmie Hanlon, the "Fighting Marine," was called off today because Burgess Penn refused to issue a permit. Burgess Penn stated that prominent people had entered a protest.

Will Play for a Medal.

A pool tournament for the championship of the Twenty-third ward will begin next Monday in the Hazelwood Billiard hall. Applications will be received up until Thursday, November 17. The winner will be awarded a handsome gold medal. No entrance fee will be charged.

SEEKING STARS FOR THE QUAKERS

Philadelphia Team to Be Made a Strong One—Collins Tells of Dougherty Deal.

PULLIAM ALL RIGHT AGAIN

Secretary Locke of the Pirates, who attended the Yale-Princeton game on Saturday, returned yesterday, and brings back with him the information that the Philadelphia National league team is to be greatly strengthened next season, and that there are likely to be changes of a startling nature in that club.

The Pirates' secretary was a guest of President Potter of the Quakers at dinner on Sunday and in the conversation which followed it was stated that the stockholders who recently purchased the club interests will reorganize shortly and that there will be enough money back of the club to insure the securing of a number of star players and every effort will be made to give that city a pennant winning team. The first step will be to place practical men at the head of the organization and do away with the old policy of trying to run the club on the society plan, which proved a costly failure during the past season.

Secretary Locke also met President Harry Pulliam at Princeton and the leader of the league, who was quite sick at the close of the playing season, has fully recovered his health. It was Pulliam's intention to take a trip to Europe at the close of the season, but this has been abandoned. He looks for some lively times when the club owners get together in their annual session in New York next month, as there will be many subjects of baseball importance to be discussed.

Hugh Duffey is making every effort to get together a team which will be able to cope successfully with the strong clubs in 1905. Duffy's first step in this direction is to open negotiations with the St. Louis National league club to secure Pitcher Jack Taylor, who, it is understood, is anxious to leave the World's Fair city.

Capt. Manager Jimmy Collins of the champion Bostons, when asked by friends here recently the true reason why the Boston club released Dougherty to the New York Americans, replied:

"Dougherty is one of the best hitting ball players I ever knew. He was instrumental in landing us in second place two years ago and in first place last season. Dougherty is a friend of mine, and I hope I am a friend of his, but when this season started we fell into tough luck and Dougherty fell with us.

"Baseball is as much a business as any other thing you could imagine. Baseball players are bought and sold. They are the assets of a good team. Dougherty was not playing the ball he played in the past. Several teams wanted him, but the New York team was playing a pitcher in the outfield, and, recognizing in Dougherty a good player, they wanted him, offered more for him, and got him, and that is the sole reason that they secured that player. It was not sentiment, it was not friendship. It was not animosity. It was a pure business deal."

ATHLETIC COUNCIL ORGANIZED

Allegheny High School Places Sports on Basis—Teams Being Formed.

The Allegheny High school has organized an athletic council to take entire charge of the school athletics. The council is composed of three members of the faculty and a representative from each of the four classes. The council proposes to make the school standard equal to the best in the state in the line of clean athletics. In accordance with this decision a number of rules have been made which limit all team members to bona fide students of the school, who must attain a fixed average each month in their studies to remain on their several teams.

Although the council appeared on the scene too late to authorize a high school football team, amends have been made by the formation of a strong basketball team. The team this year will enjoy, for the first time in the school's history, the advantages of a good gymnasium for their practice. The High school committee having allowed them the use of the lower school gymnasium, while the upper gymnasium, which accommodates more spectators, will probably be used for match games.

In addition to the basketball team, a fencing club has been formed, and in the near future gymnasium teams and a hockey team will be organized while the spring will see the organization of a baseball nine and track teams. For these teams excellent material is in sight, and the help of a number of alumni as coaches has been offered.

The present council consists of the following members: President and manager, Dr. Herman Groth; secretary, Howard H. McCabe; treasurer, Harry J. Fincke; assistant manager, George Billinger. Paul D. Wright, Robert Buka and Lawrence Gray. The officers of the basketball team are Dr. H. Groth, manager, and George Billinger, assistant manager and captain.

First Warders Beat Fayettes.

The Fayette five lost to the First Ward A. C. last night on the latter's floor. Line-up:

First Ward.		Fayette.
Snyder	Forward	Miller
McGowan	Forward	Bergess
Kinney	Center	Bittner
Curtis	Guard	Detner
Surdick	Guard	Strasser

Field goals—Snyder 5, McGowan 3, Kinney 8, Surdick 3, Miller, Burgess, Bittner. Foul goals—Kinney 2, Detner 2.—Referee—Ike Lawrence.

TORPID LIVER.

Happily for mankind, the advocates of heroic cathartics are each day becoming fewer, giving place to the logical and scientific principle of aperients and mild laxatives for intestinal disorders. The hitherto unsuspected danger of the heroic treatment for chronic and semi constipation, sluggish liver, bilious attacks and disorders of the gastro-intestinal canal are now fully understood and appreciated by the medical profession generally. The consequent demand for some form of laxative that would be at once mild yet prompt in action and at the same time pleasant to the taste, has produced many disappointing preparations compounded in various liquid and solid forms, none of which answered or even approached the pressing need of the times. The solution of the problem, however, was found on the introduction of the original Red Raven Aperient Water. Combining as it does all the essential elements of an ideal laxative water, it is rapidly supplanting all other means of correcting intestinal disorders and maintaining a healthy action of these important organs. A bottle of Red Raven Aperient water taken before breakfast, say twice a week, is a guarantee against intestinal "upsets" and puts your whole system in the condition nature designed.

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Earl McIntyre Pleaded Guilty to the Charge of Voluntary Manslaughter.

J. H. JAHN AGAIN CONVICTED

The Rev. S. P. Montgomery, pastor of the Jefferson Township United Presbyterian church, at Gill Hall, in criminal court yesterday, pleaded no defense to a charge of assault and battery made by Edward P. Heath, one of the elders of the church. The court fined Mr. Montgomery $20 and costs.

The fight between the men occurred in the church after the services on Sunday, June 5, last. In taking testimony, the court heard Heath first. He said the minister had accused him of acting improperly with and insulting one of the women in the choir. Heath said the minister had reproached him on the strength of a statement made by one of the young women. After he began talking to the pastor, the young woman was called in but she did not remember making the statement. Heath then said Mr. Montomery struck him in the mouth, loosening four of his front teeth. He said the first blow was followed up by more and that in the end he was knocked down and out, unconscious. Heath also alleged that when his mother appeared, Mr. Montgomery pushed her against the pulpit.

In his own defense, the minister said that when he left the pulpit, Heath called him aside and began abusing him. He said he walked away and that he was followed up by the prosecutor, who continued abusing him. The defendant said he was finally followed to the front of the pulpit, where Heath's mother and sister got around him and began taking the prosecutor's part. One remark was finally passed when Heath said: "That's a lie and it's not the first you've told." The defendant said he then struck Heath in the face and that the latter caught hold of a chair for the purpose of defending himself. The witness said he then struck Heath again, but he denied either knocking him down or causing him to lose consciousness. The witness said he considered the attack made on him equivalent to an assault, and he thought he was justified in striking the blows, although he lost his head and was very sorry for it. In concluding Mr. Montgomery said: "Technically I am guilty, but spiritually I am not."

The court said that judging from the testimony the defendant was guilty and he pronounced sentence.

The report current for some time that the presbyterial committee investigating the charges against Mr. Montgomery is striving to effect an agreeable settlement was further accentuated in United Presbyterian circles yesterday, following this decision. The committee held a secret session yesterday and as usual refused to divulge the result of the meeting. Nine charges were preferred against the "fighting parson" in which Elder Edmond Heath holds he is but one of several complainants. Mr. Montgomery professes not to know the nature of the charges. From a reliable source the information was given that the committee is endeavoring to bring all the complainants to a basis of settlement.

J. Henry Jahn acted as his own attorney in criminal court yesterday and was convicted of a charge of embezzlement, made by Margaret Spence. The indictment was against Jahn, George H. Lockhart and Walter W. Tate, who were doing business under the name of a mortgage company, but the other men were never arrested.

Mrs. Spence alleged that as her agent, Jahn sold a house for her and refused to turn $500 of the money over to her.

In cross-examining the prosecutrix, Jahn tried to bring out several matters the court would not admit.

In his address to the jury the court forced Jahn to stop at different times, and finally ended his effort by sending him to his seat, as he was touching on matters that were not connected with the case.

Attorney G. J. Lichtenheld was convicted of a charge of embezzlement made by Gottlieb Anger. The prosecutor alleged Lichtenheld transacted some business for him and collected $110, part of which he appropriated for his own use. Lihtenheld said that Anger loaned him the money saying he could use it.

Earl McIntyre, a negro, pleaded guilty to a charge of voluntary manslaughter for the death of Charles Barrett, also colored. The court sentenced McIntyre to serve four years in the penitentiary. McIntyre was arraigned on a charge of murder. Barrett and the defendant were employed on the steamboat J. C. Woodward, as roustabouts, and a quarrel arose between the two on June 24, last, when the boat was near the Glenwood bridge in the Monongahela river. The story is that Barrett fell into the river and was drowned.

Henry Reed, Charles Lowry and Lester Bush, all colored, employes on the boat, testified that the quarrel arose over an assertion McIntyre was alleged to have made regarding Barrett's unwillingness to work when the decks were being cleaned. McIntyre, they said, denied making the assertion, which was not satisfactory to Barrett, who picked up a stick. He struck McIntyre a glancing blow on the head and the latter reached for him. As he did so, Barrett fell into the river.

The defendant said that after he had been struck the first time, he tried to catch Barrett to take the club away. As he did so, he said to Barrett, "You struck me, Charley," to which Barrett replied, "That's just what I intended doing, and moreover, I intend to kill you." The defendant said he was dazed by the blow he had received, and was holding his head with his left hand when he tried to catch Barrett with his right. He claimed that in trying to avoid him, Barrett backed into the water.

A bill in equity was filed by Elizabeth O'Rourke Against James O'Rourke, praying that the court compel him to give to her a deed for a certain piece of property in South Fayette township. She avers that James O'Rourke orally agreed to give a deed to the property to her husband, Matthew, by reason of blood and affection existing, and that on the strength of the agreement she and her husband took possession of the property, built a house and made other improvements and occupied the same. She claims that on several occasions James O'Rourke promised to meet them in Pittsburgh and have the deed conveyed, and did start to have the deed drawn up, but that on December 6, 1902, her husband, Matthew, died before the deed was delivered. She avers that she has frequently requested the defendant to give her the deed, but he has failed to do so.

L. G. Martin entered suit against Eli Frazier and Charles Stinson, Jr., asking $5,500 damages. He is the proprietor of an automobile storage and claims that on September 19 the defendants took the car of Mrs. A. C. Overton from his place, and while driving it, collided with a car. He alleges the machine was damaged to the extent of $2,000, and asks $1,500 damages for injury to his reputation.

Emma Boyd of Sewickley brought a suit for $5,000 damages against Charles McKenna, a police officer of that borough, for false arrest.

A verdict was rendered in common pleas court No. 2, giving the Thirty-third Street United Presbyterian church $150 damages in its suit against the city of Pittsburgh.

Katherine Nagel, a widow, of Pittsburgh leaves the widow and children of her son, Frederick, $1, explaining that he had received during his lifetime more than his share of her estate. The balance of her estate is left to her four daughters and grandson, Harry.

A petition in involuntary bankruptcy was filed against the New Castle Pottery Company of New Castle. The petition was filed by Maj. Alexander McDowell of Sharon, who alleged he has been refused payment on a $5,000 promissory note by the alleged bankrupts.

A voluntary petition was filed by Burkhart Fuerstch, a butcher, of Allegheny. He gives his liabilities as $10,537 60, with no assets.

Executions issued: McKeesport Title and Trust Company vs. C. C. Holland, $2,752 63; Anna M. Hoffman vs. Andrew Waehter, $1,009 84; M. Streng's Sons Co. vs. Eagle Foundry Company, $203 65; Ross, Sprague & Co. vs. T. L. Meaders, $52 83; Samuel B. Edwards vs. John Orr, Jr., and O. Hoddar, $950; R. S. Forney vs. William Martin, $212 44; Henry F. Gilg vs. George H. Williams, $1,175; State Bank of Pittsburgh vs. Mary E. Rifle, $2,162 18; same vs. Cyrus A. Rifle, $18,840 90.

OLD WATER LINE FIGHT IS ONCE MORE RENEWED

Test Case in United States Court Over Collapse of Stevenson & Foster's Building.

The November term of the United States circuit court opened with Judge R. W. Archbald of the middle district assisting Judge Buffington because of the large number of cases.

The first case called was that of Smith & Benham vs. Curran & Hussey. The case has been tried twice before without a result being reached. In November, 1901, J. R. McCreary, attorney for the defendants, was taken ill and the following year the jury disagreed. The claim is for non-fulfillment of a contract. It is claimed that the defendants agreed to build a water line through the San Luis Rey Valley, California, to the town of Oceanside, and the plaintiffs allege that they spent $18,500 in condemnation proceedings to secure rights of way for the line. They give this as the amount of their loss by the defendants not fulfilling their contract. Some witnesses were not present and the case was postponed until today.

The jury in the case of Stevenson & Foster, printers of Pittsburgh, vs. the Home Insurance Company of New York, to recover $3,000 loss on their stock and machinery, caused by fire on February 4, 1901, was empaneled and Attorney Orr, for the plaintiffs, submitted written evidence of a prima facie case against other insurance companies secured in the common pleas courts of Allegheny county and examined one witness, George P. Dorhman, a member of the firm of Stevenson & Foster, who merely testified to the amount of the firm's claim. Wilds F. McCook, for the defense, claimed that the building at 527-529 Wood street, in which the fire occurred, was unsafe before the fire, and that the building fell before the conflagration started. Ex-superintendent of the bureau of building inspection, Capt. J. A. A. Brown; George Hodgdon, an architect; John Eichley, Jr., who was called to prop up the building when it was thought to be falling; Frank Wahlab, a workman employed by Mr. Eichley, and Capt. Sloss of No. 1 engine company, told practically the same stories regarding the condition of the building and the fire as when on the stand in common pleas court in the other cases.

MAY LOSE MEMORIAL.

Judge Evans Springs a Surprise on Soldiers by Questioning Special Act of Assembly.

In quarter sessions court Judges J. A. Evans and S. A. McClung fixed November 30 as a time for a hearing in the matter of the erection of a memorial hall for the civil war soldiers and sailors of Allegheny county.

Those representing the veterans said it was desired to have the matter disposed of by the court as this approval was all that yet remained to assure the memorial. The history of the movement was reviewed and reference made to the special act under which the proceedings were brought.

Judge Evans said he had some doubt as to the constitutionality of the special act, and advised the attorneys to appear well prepared on that point.

ANTI-RITUALIST SPOKE.

Fillingham, the English Extremist, Took a Shot at Bishop Potter Before Methodist Episcopal Ministers.

The Rev. R. C. Fillingham of Hixton, Hertfordshire, England, an extremist in opposition to ritualism in church worship, and who claims to be touring the world at his own expense as a disciple in the anti-ritualistic movement, spoke before the Methodist Episcopal ministerial meeting yesterday morning on "Reaction on Religious Thought" and among other things assailed the principles of worship which he attributed to the Rt. Rev. Bishop Potter, who speaks here today.

He said some congregations had unblushingly returned to Romanism and tolerated a clergy close to priesthood. He rapped the Church of England hard and often. Referring to Bishop Potter, he said:

The object of the Reformation was to get rid of superstition and especially to do away with the mass. Yet there are men on both sides of the Atlantic who celebrate the mass openly in the high churches who have solemnly declared their belief in the articles of the church which state that masses are blasphemous fables and dangerous deceits. And the worst feature of it all is that the rulers of the church connive at it. Bishop Potter of New York, for instance, has avowed before God that he would drive away strange and erroneous doctrines, yet he has encouraged blatant Romanism in the Protestant Episcopal Church of St. Mary the Virgin, in New York city. Here is a man, a type of many, exemplary in character and in all social relations of life, yet in ecclesiastical matters simply a moral monster; a man who practices the sin of Ananias, of whom it was said, 'Thou hast not lied unto men but unto God.'"

The Rev. Dr. A. H. Jolly read a paper before the Presbyterian clergymen on "Five Great Churches." "Church Discipline" was the subject of a paper by the Rev. W. E. DeForrest, before the Baptist Ministerial union, while the Rev. J. U. Ever spoke to Methodist Protestant ministers on "The Young Man and the Church."

The Lutheran Ministerial association was addressed by the Rev. W. H. Nicholas on "The Reformation Principles Applied to Present Religious Conditions." The Christian ministers heard an address on "Negro Evangelization" by C. C. Smith, who is in charge of that work for the denomination, and also heard a paper on "Study of Classics by the Minister," by the Rev. Dr. Wallace Tharp.

DR. SCHAFF INSTALLED.

Many Ministers Present When He Is Made Professor of Church History in Seminary.

The Rev. Dr. David Schley Schaff was formally installed as professor of church history in the Western Theological seminary last night at the North Presbyterian church, Allegheny. The Rev. Dr. David J. Kennedy, president of the board of directors of the seminary, presided, and the Rev. Dr. Robert Christie read the scriptures. The charge to the new professor was given by the Rev. Dr. William S. Fulton, pastor of the Point Breeze Presbyterian church.

Dr. Schaff then delivered his inaugural address, taking for his subject, "The Last Century of the Middle Ages." He depicted the corruption of the church and then discussed the inception of the Great Reformation under Martin Luther. The congregation was composed of the board of directors, the faculty and students of the seminary, with a fair attendance of ministers from the city and suburbs. The oldest graduate of the seminary, the Rev. Dr. Abner O. Rockwell, now more than 92 years old, was present.

BESSEMER'S ORE RECORD IS GOOD

Carnegie Road Will Exceed 1903 in Its Season's Shipments from Conneaut Harbor.

GREAT PLANS FOR NEXT YEAR

The present year is sure to eclipse 1903 in the matter of ore tonnage and the indications, as read by the managements of the great steel concerns, are that the coming year will eclipse all records in this regard.

The management of the Pittsburgh Steamship Company, which owns and operates the great lakes fleet of the United States Steel Corporation, has fixed upon December 6 as the time at which they are reckoning the close of navigation. As this close depends upon the freezing of the lakes, it is, of course, impossible as yet to fix a definite date.

By November 25, at the present rate the shipments of ore to Conneaut Harbor and over the Bessemer & Lake Erie railroad to this district will have equalled the total record of 1903. It is expected the year at its close will show fully 250,000 tons greater ore shipments over the Bessemer than that recorded last year. This is made the more remarkable by reason of the strike of the masters and pilots which prevented the opening of navigation until three months later than usual. April, May and June were lost months. It has required the greatest exertions to bring down the lakes and transport to the Pittsburgh district enough ore in the shortened season to make up for that lost time.

The record made in August for the Bessemer's shipments still stands, 645,920 tons. September shows 617,995 tons and October, 620,627. The average of November to date is about 25,000 tons a day. November should show 625,000 hauled tons over the Bessemer, as compared with 183,000 in November of last year. There was practically no ore shipped over the Bessemer in December, 1903, and whatever is done in this year will be a clear increase.

The Bessemer's year should show about 4,250,000 tons of ore, as compared with approximately 4,000,000 tons in 1903.

Reports from the tower lake ports other than Conneaut, where the Bessemer receives its ore, show that the same experience has been met there. The business for the present year will total a greater volume than that of last year, and the exact figures may show this increase to be of somewhat surprising size.

The outlook for the coming year is especially bright. The truth of this statement is proved by the inside workings of the steel corporation in its plans to meet the expected demands. It is the purpose of the corporation to bring over the Bessemer about 650,000 tons of ore a month throughout the coming season. This will far exceed any previous year's record, and will allow the production of an enormous amount of iron.

In its coke plans the steel corporation has made the same elaborate preparations for meeting the great needs foreseen for the coming year.

CORTELYOU TO APPOINT INAUGURAL COMMITTEE

WASHIGTON, Nov. 14.—George B. Cortelyou, chairman of the Republican national committee, arrived in Washington today and went to his home in Washington Heights. He will rest a few days and then return to New York, where he will close some business interests before acting on the matter of the appointment of a chairman of the inaugural committee. After that is disposed of he will take a vacation.

Stolen Goods Found on Men.

MANSFIELD, O., Nov. 14.—The local manager for the Standard Oil Company, and the chief of police today went to Chicago Junction, O., and identified some of the property found on the five alleged safe blowers arrested there Saturday. The safe in the Standard Oil Company's office here was blown open and robbed Friday night, and also a Baltimore & Ohio railroad tool house. Sufficient evidence was found to warrant the men being brought back here.

Luther League Convention Today.

The 25th annual convention of the Pittsburgh Central Luther league will be held in Christ English Evangelical Lutheran church, Broad street, today, with sessions afternoon and evening. The Rev. Jerome M. Guss of Etna, president of the league, will preside at both sessions. Papers bearing on Luther league work will be read by clergymen and laymen at both sessions.

The Railway Signal Association favors the New Block System

A committee representing the Railway Signal association has made two radical recommendations regarding the use of the block signal system. The first is that the staff system be used on all single track railroads, and the block system on all double track roads. In view of the fact that there is practically no staff installation in the United States, barring the short mountain division of the Santa Fe, and about 30 miles on the Queen & Crescent, the committee's recommendations may be regarded as somewhat startling.

As a result of the recommendation the management of the Burlington has set up two staff machines in the general offices at Chicago which are being inspected by railroad officials of many lines. The company is about to install the system on the Savannah branch, a distance of about 10 miles. The staff system has been used in England almost 50 years and makes it impossible for a train to enter a block without the engineer coming into possession of a metal bar called a staff. In the lock and block system recommended for use on double track roads the instrument in the tower is electrically locked after a train has passed into the block and cannot be manipulated to permit another train to enter until the succeeding tower man unlocks it, and this he cannot do until the train has passed into the following block.

To Establish a Railroad Museum.

J. G. Pangborn, who had charge of the St. Louis' world's fair exhibit for the Baltimore & Ohio railroad, has conceived the idea of establishing a permanent railroad museum. All railroad managers are being invited to assist in creating the project. It is the plan to make this museum one of the largest in the world, but it will be confined to exhibits pertaining to railroad and appurtenances. The Baltimore & Ohio has a collection of relics which includes types of railway engines from the earliest period of steam transportation facilities in this country to the present time, showing the crude machines used by the pioneers and the latest type of motive power seen on the great railroads.

P. & L. E. Extending Its Four Tracks.

The Pittsburgh & Lake Erie has put into service another portion of the new fourth track system constructed between Pittsburgh and McKeesport. Two additional tracks were thrown into use between South Twenty-third street and Homestead. The improvement was commenced about a year ago, and has been executed vigorously in hopes of getting as much of the new track in shape as possible before the winter set in.

Live Stock Rates.

The interstate commerce commission met in Chicago yesterday to take testimony in three cases regarding live stock rates. One case involves terminal charges on live stock shipments. Another was instituted by the Cattle Raisers' association, and the third is a general investigation of live stock rates.

Railroad Notes.

The Lake Shore railroad has just awarded a contract to the Pressed Steel Car Company for 1,000 steel gondola cars of 110,000 pounds capacity each.

The passenger department of the Pennsylvania railroad has just completed its book on tourist rates. Col. Thomas E. Watt, district passenger agent, has received several hundred for distribution.

J. W. Patterson, Jr., division superintendent of the Wabash Pittsburgh Terminal, returned yesterday from a several days' trip to New York.

MORGAN INTERESTS GET OPTION OF THE C., H. & D.

Its Proposed Merger With Erie and Pere Marquette Would Make New Trunk Line.

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

NEW YORK, Nov. 14.—It was said today here unofficially, but on what was considered good authority, that J. P. Morgan & Co., and H. B. Hollins & Co. have an option on a majority of the stock of the Cincinnati, Hamilton & Dayton railroad. Representatives of these two firms are said to have started on a tour of inspection of the property.

The syndicate now in control of Cincinnati, Hamilton & Dayton, and responsible for the Pere Marquette merger, is composed chiefly of Eugene Zimmerman, Cincinnati; F. H. Prince, Boston, and the United States Mortgage and Trust Company. Under the option held by Morgan and Hollins, this syndicate has given up its rights to negotiate a sale, and until the option has expired, H. B. Hollins & Co. will be the only medium through which control can be passed.

A merger of the Erie, Cincinnati, Hamilton & Dayton and Pere Marquette, such as is proposed, would form a new trunk line system 5,000 miles between New York, Chicago, Cincinnati and St. Louis.

ARE BOOMING HEMENWAY TO SUCCEED FAIRBANKS

EVANSVILLE, IND., Nov. 14.—Members of the legislature recently elected from the First district, met here today and unanimously indorsed James A. Hemenway, chairman of the appropriations committee in the national house of representatives, for the senate, to succeed Vice President-elect Fairbanks. Mr. Hemenway was called before the members, thanked them and said he would open headquarters in Indianapolis at once.

Hospital Orderly Was Fined.

Stephen Vasos, the orderly employed at St. Joseph's hospital, who stole $25 from the clothing of a patient after he had rendered the patient helpless by putting him in a bath tub full of water, was fined $50 and costs at the Central station hearing, with the alternative of serving six months in the workhouse.

Killed Himself on Ocean Steamer.

PLYMOUTH, ENG., Nov. 14.—The commander of the North German Lloyd steamer Kaiser Wilhelm II on her arrival today reported that Adam Weiss of Chicago, a passenger on the steamer which left New York November 8, committed suicide two hours after leaving New York. No cause is assigned.

EXPELLED FROM VENEZUELA.

Supposed American Citizen and Defender of Uncle Sam's Interests Deported by Castro.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 14.—A. F. Jaurett, editor of the Venezuelan Herald, has been ordered expelled from Venezuela by President Castro. The news came to the state department in a cablegram from its legation at Caracas.

No details were given, but it is stated that Mr. Jaurett has always defended American interests in his paper, and has taken the side of the asphalt company in its recent trouble. It is thought here that he is an American citizen.

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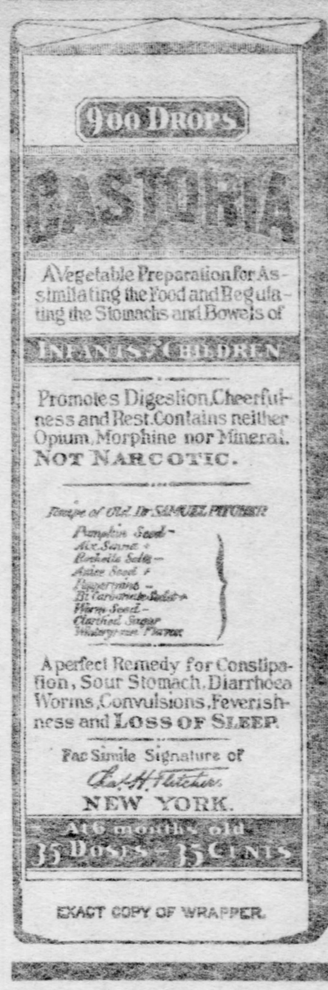
"I recommend 'Pyramids' wherever I know of any one suffering as I did. It gives me great pleasure to be able to say I am entirely cured, which my doctor says is true. I say God bless Pyramid Pile Cure." From a former great sufferer, Mrs. F. S. Ancott, 1206 Unity St., Frankford, Philadelphia, Pa.

This remedy, which is sold by druggists generally, in fifty-cent and dollar packages, is in a suppository form, is applied directly to the parts affected and performs its work quietly and painlessly. Its value is evidenced by the testimony given above, and we urge all sufferers to buy a package now and give it a trial tonight. Accept no substitutes and remember that there is no remedy "just as good." A little book on the Cause and Cure of Piles is published by the Pyramid Drug Co., Marshall, Mich., and will be sent free to any address.



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Dull aching in the small of the back.
Sharp pains when stooping or lifting.
Rheumatic aching in the muscles.
Neuralgic pains in the nerves.
Headaches, sideaches, gout, sciatica.
And the urinary symptoms, some apparent, some found by simple tests—
Frequent passages day and night.
Scalding, due to inflammation.
Scanty passages, or a stoppage.
Red, thick, and ill-smelling urine.
Cloudy or brick-dust sediment.
Greasy, frothy, or staining urine.
Other common symptoms are:
Puffy eyes, swollen limbs.
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Drowsiness, lack of energy, languor.
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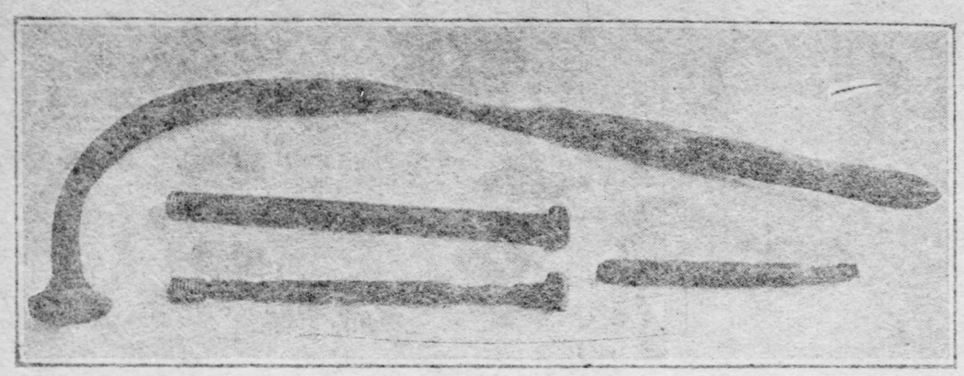
Waters of the Monongahela River Eat Up Metal



Three Acid Eaten Steel Bolts Taken from Dams in the Monongahela and One Perfect Bolt That Has Not Yet Been Attacked by the Chemical Ladened Waters.

ACID IN THEIR DRINKING WATER

Steel Bolts Taken from Monongahela River Are Half Eaten Away by It.

COULD EASILY BE REMEDIED

The lowness of the stage of water in the Monongahela river during the summer has caused more than the usual expense and inconvenience to owners of mills, factories and steamboats. When the river is low the sulphuric acid in the water is greater than the usual quantity and steam boilers suffer accordingly.

Between lock No. 2 and the Youghiogheny river there is more acid than in any other part of the stream. There is considerable acid above the mouth of the Youghiogheny, but that comes almost entirely from the coal mines and the coking plants and coal washers of the Connellsville coke regions; but near McKeesport there are large tin plate and galvanizing plants, and, of course, the waste from these works intensifies the acid condition at low water.

The accompanying pictures of bolts taken from two locks furnish good illustrations of the action of the acid-laden water on steel. The large curved bolt was used as a holding down bolt in a miter sill of lock No. 3 for eight years.

Eaten by the Acid.

One can easily see where the acid has eaten away the center of the bolt. That portion was between two timbers and the acid had a better chance at it, but even where the bolt fitted tightly in the timbers the acid corroded the metal, leaving it rough and fibrous looking. The thickest part of the old bolt is at least three-eighths of an inch smaller in diameter than the corresponding portion of the unused bolt. This holding down bolt was taken from a lock which lies above the washings from the tin plate and galvanizing plants further down the river.

The smaller pieces of iron are the remains of bolts used in Leffel turbine wheels in lock No. 2, below the tin plate and galvanizing works referred to. One represents a new bolt; the other two were taken from the turbine wheel after only five years' use. One can see the action of the acid very plainly. The bolt head is diminished in size; just underneath the head the steel is thinned down to less than half of its original diameter and more than half of the thread at the bottom is destroyed. The top of the headless bolt was not eaten off, however; it pulled off as the bolt was taken from the turbine wheel. All bolts were obtained from the office of Maj. W. L. Siberl, United States engineer in charge of the rivers.

Remedy Is Suggested.

"It is getting so that it hardly worth while to put any metal into the Monongahela river," said Col. T. P. Roberts, who is in Maj. Sibert's office. "As the years go by steamboat boilers must be repaired and replaced much oftener, because of the acid. We are building a new dam and lock a half mile above the present dam No. 2, and it will be finished in a year or less. We have to put a new turbine wheel in the old lock and I am convinced that in a year the acid will have made that turbine nothing but scrap iron, practically. The lock of the new dam will be operated with pneumatic machinery, lying out of the water, but the wickets on the top of the new dam will be of steel, and I have no doubt that the sulphuric acid will affect them, although we may use nickel steel which seems to last five times longer than ordinary steel.

"Do you know that more than $500,000 worth of apparatus is in use in mills below the mouth of the Youghiogheny for the purpose of neutralizing the river water before it is allowed to go into the boilers? I do not doubt that the cost of operating the apparatus, including the wages of chemists, amounts at some plants to from $10,000 to $15,000 a year, not to speak of the expense the acid causes to steamboat owners.

"And how easily it could be avoided. The damage could be stopped and the liquid that is now a harmful waste turned into a fertilizer worth hundreds of thousands of dollars, by letting the wash from the tin plate and galvanizing plants into pits, there to be treated with lime. If capital cannot be obtained for that purpose, a law compelling the owners of tin plate and galvanizing plants to dam up the sulphuric acid waste, letting it out into the river at times of high water, would redeem the Monongahela river from its present acid-polluted condition."

The water drunk on the South Side is the same water that ate away the smaller bolts pictured here.

TO EXTEND CIVIL SERVICE TO PANAMA CANAL ZONE

WASHINGTON, Nov. 14.—President Roosevelt will shortly sign an order, completed today by the civil service and isthmian canal commissions, extending the civil service regulations over the employes of the canal commission. The order embraces all employes except those appointed by the president, and laborers. Besides, about 30 places are excepted, such as the secretary to the commission, the secretary to the governor general of the zone and the customs collector for the zone.

A Prominent Pittsburgher.

suffered for 10 years with nervous troubles—Doctors did not do any good—Finally he had to give up his business—He thought he was doomed—One day a prominent physician recommended Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil to Broad—It was the one thing needful—The man was well in three months—You can learn all about it if you write—B. B. Dunning, local agent, 422 Bidwell block, 407 Seventh Avenue.

Mortgages.

Application for loans on business or residence property in Allegheny county will be promptly answered by the Safe Deposit and Trust Company of Pittsburgh, Wood street and Fourth avenue. Apply to C. W. Kiser, Manager, Mortgage Department.

World's Fair and California Low-Fare Excursions
Pennsylvania Lines.

Mexico and the west. See J. K. Dillon, district passenger agent, 515 Park building, Pittsburgh.

Gunsaulus' lecture tonight, 8:15 o'clock, Allegheny Carnegie hall. Tickets 800 Federal street, Allegheny.

Good Producing Oil fields Are Few and far Between Nowadays

Good producing wells are few and far between in the lower southwest fields. The latest discoveries are nearly all small pumpers or dusters. In the Pine Grove extension, in Wetzel county, West Virginia, the South Penn Oil Company has an exception at its second test on the Susan Postalwait farm. The well was drilled into the Gordon pay Saturday night and produced 150 barrels the first 24 hours. This is the largest well the Pine Grove extension has been able to furnish for several months.

Near Downs Station, Marion county, the Fairmont and Grafton Gas Company's test on the W. L. Morgan farm is holding up at 115 barrels a day. West of Mannington, on Bartholomew run, the South Penn company is drilling in the top of the 30-foot sand at its No. 2 on the C. S. Pitzer farm. This well is located inside of the new development and should be a good producer when drilled deeper.

In the Salem district, Harrison county, the South Penn Oil Company has drilled its second test on the Homer Bartlett farm through the Gordon and has developed a very light show of oil. It may make a small pumper after it has been given a dose of high explosive.

On the east side of the Folsom district, in the same county, the South Penn company has drilled its second test on the S. S. Shriver farm into the Gordon and the hole was filled up 200 feet with fluid. It is still drilling. The same company has completed its No. 2 on the Easton Robinson farm and will not have better than a five-barrel pumper.

In the Littleton district, Wetzel county, the Hope Natural Gas Company has drilled No. 3 on the G. W. Soles farm through the Gordon and has developed a very light showing of oil and no gas. On Proctor creek, Proctor district, in the same county, the same company has drilled its test on the Jackson Yoho farm into the Gordon and has developed a very fair gasser.

On Maggoty run, Liberty district, Marshall county, the South Penn company has shot its No. 4 on the J. B. Wayt farm and it is producing 95 barrels a day from the Gordon.

In the Smithfield district, Wetzel county, the South Penn company has drilled its No. 2 on the Charles Gilbert farm 15 feet into the stray and has developed no oil or gas. In the Pine Grove extension, the South Penn company has drilled its second test on the Gabriel Postalwait farm into the first pay, and the well has filled up 1,000 feet with fluid. In the same district, the same company is drilling in the top of the sand at its second test on the Wise-Postalwait farm, and at its test on the W. L. Brookover farm.

In the Waverly district, Wood county, C. V. Amsler has drilled his No. 3 on the Ida Sharp farm through the Mitchell sand and has a show for a light pumper, not good for more than three barrels a day.

On Yellow creek, Calhoun county, Leonard, Carr & Gilmore have given their No. 2 on the Richard-Bush farm a shot in the Berea grit, and it produced 105 barrels the ensuing 24 hours. In the same district, the South Penn company's No. 3 on the H. I. Jackson farm is producing 135 barrels a day.

In the Milltown district, back of Verona, Allegheny county, F. Hensel has completed a test on his own farm and has a gasser in the 100-foot that shows a rock pressure of 300 pounds.

On the Ohio side, in the new development north of the Keener pool, near Woodsfield, Monroe county, the Frances Oil Company has completed its No. 3 on the Robert Cooper farm and has a show for a 10-barrel pumper in the Keener sand. In the same district, the Producers Drilling Company and others have drilled their test on the Frank Friday farm through the Keener and have a duster.

The Traders Oil Company, Mooney & Shafer, have completed their test on the Barbara Sheets farm and have a show for a 30-barrel producer in the Keener sand.

In the Rays Run district, Washington county, the Carter Oil Company has drilled its No. 3 on the S. E. Hutchinson farm through the Berea grit and found nothing in that formation. They gave it a shot in the Squaw sand and have a show for a little pumper.

In the Wolf Creek district, Morgan county, the Wolf Creek Oil Company has completed a second test on the Robert Noland farm and have a duster in the shallow sand. The Hastings Oil Company and the South Penn Oil Company have had the same kind of luck at their No. 22 on the George E. Morris farm. Posten & Co. have completed their No. 9 on the Joseph Zumbro farm and have a five-barrel pumper.

In the Amsterdam development, in Harrison county, W. C. Kennedy & Co. have completed their No. 9 on the Alex Long farm and have a show for a six-barrel pumper. This is a little better than the average for that district.

Shipments and Runs.

Shipments and runs of the Pennsylvania, Ohio and Indiana fields:

PENNSYLVANIA OIL.

SHIPMENTS.		RUNS.	
Nov. 12 and 13	32,873	Nov. 11 and 12.	95,613
Previously	1,012,793	Previously	758,477
Total	1,045,666	Total	854,090
Daily avg.	80,436	Daily avg.	71,174

LIMA OIL.

SHIPMENTS.		RUNS.	
Nov. 12 and 13	138,351	Nov. 11 and 12.	124,189
Previously	749,947	Previously	624,616
Total	888,298	Total	748,805
Daily avg.	68,331	Daily avg.	62,400

The Oil Market.

The Standard quotes credit balances in the several fields as follows: Pennsylvania, $1 60; Tiona, $1 75; Corning, $1 37; New Castle, $1 47; North Lima, $1 07; South Lima, $1 02; Indiana, $1 00; Somerset, $1 01; Raglan, 60c; Canada, $1 54.

The Producers and Refiners Oil Company quotes $1 60 for Pennsylvania credit balances.

OIL CITY, Nov. 14.—Credit balances, $1 60; certificates, no bid. Shipments, Pennsylvania oil, 33,873 bbls; average, 30,513 bbls; runs, 95,572 bbls; average, 71,170 bbls; shipments, Lima oil, 138,252 bbls average, 68,326 bbls; runs, 124,190 bbls; average, 62,400 bbls.

TOLEDO, O., Nov. 14.—North Lima, $1 07; South Lima and Indiana, $1 02.

HARVESTED GOOD CROPS.

Boys at Industrial Home Give Promise of Making Good Farmers.

A meeting of the managers of the Boys Industrial home at Oakdale was held yesterday. Superintendent Cleland reported the boys had about completed harvesting and had had very good crops of corn, potatoes, etc. Arrangements have been made with Professor Hawthorne, assistant to Superintendent Connelly of the Allegheny Manual Training school, to conduct classes in manual training during this winter.

The superintendent also reported that owing to the falling off in contributions it had been necessary to refuse admission to several boys. In the year ended October 31 the home cared for 176 boys.

Fell Dead in the Pulpit.

IONIA, MICH., Nov. 14.—Rev. N. H. Eald, a retired minister 60 years old, dropped dead yesterday in the pulpit of the Wesleyan Methodist church at Sebwa.

TO HELP WEAK CHURCHES.

Association for Church Relief Includes $5,000 for Relief in Its Budget.

A special meeting of the Methodist Episcopal church union of the Pittsburgh district was held yesterday to pass on the annual budget of appropriations for the aid of financially weak congregations and the support of missions. Upward of $5,000 was appropriated for relief.

The Rev. Dr. James Mecham, newly appointed presiding elder of the Pittsburgh district, was appointed chairman of the executive committee to succeed the Rev. Dr. T. N. Boyle. The annual meeting will be held on Monday, December 4, when election of officers will take place.

Will Hold Semi-Annual Meeting.

The semi-annual meeting of the Pittsburgh and Allegheny Rescue home, at 12 Third avenue, wil be held this afternoon at 2 o'clock. Reports will be submitted showing the work accomplished during the past six months, and plans for the winter will be discussed.

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It is in time of sudden mishap, accident, or sickness, that Hamlins Wizard Oil can be relied upon to take the place of the family doctor, who cannot always be found upon the moment——Then it is that Wizard Oil is

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realize that luxuriant hair of rich, youthful color always adds to their charms. The hair may be golden, black or brown, but when it becomes gray or faded there is an appearance of age, though she may feel as young as ever. Under these circumstances gray hair is a drawback to men and women.

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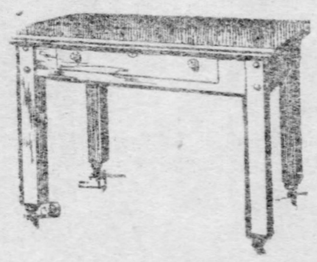
Cheap, Medium and Fine. Twenty-two Sample Tables reduced to make room for larger lots and Christmas goods. Not an old style in the lot. All in perfect condition. Tops are square, oval and pattern shapes. Weathered, Antwerp or Golden Oak and genuine Mahogany.



Golden oak Library Table. Thirty-eight-inch top. Two-inch square legs. Roomy drawer. Fine quartered golden oak, hand polished. Value $11..... **$8.50**

$7.65 Cash or 30 Days.

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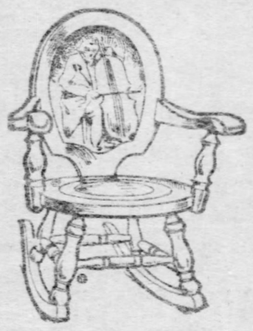
$15.00 was $20, Weathered Oak
$22.50 was $30, Golden Oak
$22.50 was $30, Mahogany
$27.50 was $32, Mahogany
$29.50 was $35, Golden Oak
$35.00 was $42, Golden Oak
$37.50 was $47, Mahogany

10% Discount for Cash with Order or in 30 Days.

Library Table in fine Antwerp oak, 3½-inch fluted legs, 27-in. by 42-in. framed top. Roomy drawer. This is one of the many big values here this week in Library Tables. Value $13.50..... **$9.75**

$8.77 Cash or 30 Days.

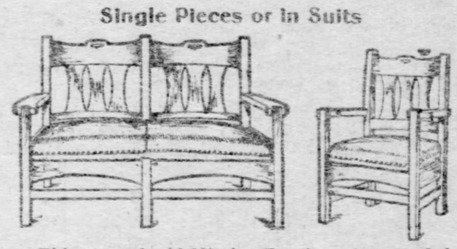


$12 Reduced from $16.50

Old Dutch Rocker in beautiful Antwerp oak. "The Old Cellolst" carved in back. Extra heavy wood.

$10.80 Cash or 30 Days.

Mission Furniture
Single Pieces or in Suits



This staunch old Mission Furniture is not a fad. It has come in stay. The quaint designs, sturdy construction and comfort in use have won the good will of every homekeeper in the land.

We have about forty pieces we want to close out this week. Seats are Rush, Saddle, Slat, Bat Leather and loose Leather covered pillows. Designs are as various as the pieces.

This Settee with Leather Pillow Cushions, $27.50
Reduced from $35.

Arm Chairs to match reduced from $17.50 to $13.50
10% Discount for Cash or in 30 Days.

$12.50 Reduced from $17.50

This Mission Chair in Antwerp Oak. Loose Pillow Cushion covered with genuine leather.

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This Comfort Rocker
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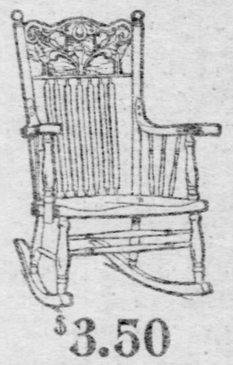
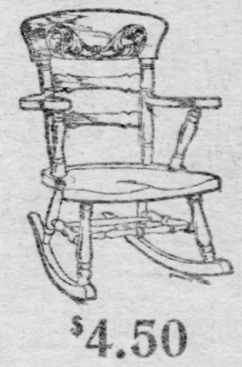
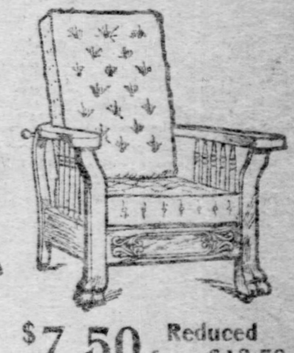


$3.50
Reduced from $4.50
A Comfort Rocker in the true sense of the word. Extra high back. Roomy saddle seat. Carved back slats. Golden oak.
$3.15 Cash or 30 Days.



$4.50
Worth $5.50
Polished Golden Oak or Mahogany finish. Handsome carved back. Fine enough for any library.
$4.05 Cash or 30 Days.



$7.50 Reduced from $12.50
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Owing to the excellence of Syrup of Figs, the universal satisfaction which it gives and the immense demand for it, imitations have been made, tried and condemned, but there are individual druggists to be found, here and there, who do not maintain the dignity and principles of the profession and whose greed gets the better of their judgment, and who do not hesitate to recommend and try to sell the imitations in order to make a larger profit. Such preparations sometimes have the name—"Syrup of Figs"—or "Fig Syrup" and of some piratical concern, or fictitious fig syrup company, printed on the package, but they never have the full name of the Company—California Fig Syrup Co.—printed on the front of the package. The imitations should be rejected because they are injurious to the system. In order to sell the imitations they find it necessary to resort to misrepresentation or deception, and whenever a dealer passes off on a customer a preparation under the name of "Syrup of Figs" or "Fig Syrup," which does not bear the full name of the California Fig Syrup Co. printed on the front of the package, he is attempting to deceive and mislead the patron who has been so unfortunate as to enter his establishment, whether it be large or small, for if the dealer resorts to misrepresentation and and deception in one case he will do so with other medicinal agents, and in the filling of physicians' prescriptions, and should be avoided by every one who values health and happiness. Knowing that the great majority of druggists are reliable, we supply the immense demand for our excellent remedy entirely through the druggists, of whom it may be purchased everywhere, in original packages only at the regular price of fifty cents per bottle, but as exceptions exist it is necessary to inform the public of the facts, in order that all may decline or return any imitation which may be sold to them. If it does not bear the full name of the Company—California Fig Syrup Co.—printed on the front of every package, do not hesitate to return the article and to demand the return of your money, and in future go to one of the better class of druggists who will sell you what you wish and the best of everything in his line at reasonable prices.

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For Titusville and Corry, 6.15, 9.00 a. m., and 11.00 p. m. week days. Sundays, 9.00 a. m. and 11.00 p. m. For Titusville only, 1.30 p. m. week days.

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For Brownsville and Chlontown, 10.05 a. m. week days and 4.30 p. m. daily. For Brownsville only, 8.20 a. m., 3.25, 6.45 and 11.35 p. m. week days; 7.00, 9.35 a. m., and 1.05, 5.00 and 9.40 p. m. Sundays. For West Brownsville, 6.05 a. m. and 1.05 p. m. week days. For Dravosburg, West Elizabeth, Monongahela City and Belle Vernon, 6.05, 8.20, 10.55 a. m., 1.05, 3.25, 4.30 (5.20 to Monongahela City), 6.45 and 11.35 p. m. week days. Sunday, 7.00, 9.35 a. m., 1.05, 4.30, 5.00 and 9.40 p. m.

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Wash., Balt. & N. York	* 8.00 am	* 7.45 pm
Conn'v, Un'tn & Fairm't	* 8.00 am	* 7.45 pm
West Newton Accom	† 8.15 am	† 8.00 am
Cumb., Wash. & Balt	* 1.00 pm	* 2.45 pm
Conn., Un'tn, Morgan't'n	† 1.25 pm	† 10.00 am
Connellsville & Mt. Pleasant	† 1.55 pm	† 5.05 pm
Connelsville Accom	* 4.00 pm	† 5.05 pm
Morgantown, Clarksburg and Weston	† 5.00 pm	12.30 pm
Philadelphia & New York (Duquesne Limited)	* 6.30 pm	* 9.00 am
West Newton Accom	† 6.40 pm	† 1.30 pm
Wash., Balt. & Phila	* 9.00 pm	* 7.15 am

LINES WEST VIA WHEELING.		
Columbus & Cincin. Exp.	12.05 am	
Wash. (Pa.) & Wheel. Ac.	* 7.00 am	*10.35 am
Col., Cin. & St. L. Exp.	* 7.00 am	* 7.45 am
St. Louis Limited	* 1.30 pm	*11.00 pm
Wash. (Pa.) & Wheeling	* 4.25 pm	* 6.45 pm
Wash. (Pa.) & Wheel. Ac.	* 5.35 pm	* 8.46 am
Col., Cin. & St. L. Exp.	* 8.50 pm	* 7.05 pm

LINES WEST VIA AKRON.		
Cleve., Akron & Youngst.	* 7.50 am	* 8.15 pm
Chicago & Cleveland	* 4.30 pm	*12.15 pm
Chicago Limited	* 8.05 pm	* 7.40 am

(Leave P. & W. Station, Allegheny.)

Butler	† 7.00 am	† 8.00 am
Butler, Forburg	† 7.30 am	† 7.25 pm
Butler, Foxburg	8.15 am	† 5.10 pm
But'r, Conn. Lake & Erie	† 8.15 am	‡ 6.35 pm
Butler	†10.40 am	* 9.40 am
But'r, Conn. Lake & Erie	† 1.15 pm	† 1.00 pm
Ellwood City	† 1.15 pm	† 6.50 am
Butler, Clarion & Greenv	† 3.00 pm	†10.25 am
Butler, Ellw'd, N. Castle	† 5.30 pm	† 9.40 am
Butler	* 6.15 pm	* 5.10 pm
Ellw'd, Foxb'g, N. Castle	† 6.15 pm	‡ 9.40 am
Butler	*11.30 pm	† 7.25 pm

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Cleveland "Flyer"	* 7.00 am	* 6.30 pm
Youngst'n & Cleve. Mail	* 8.30 am	* 5.10 pm
Buffalo and Erie Express	† 8.30 am	† 7.15 pm
Lake Chaut'qua Fast Line	*12.30 pm	* 6.30 am
Buffalo and Erie Express	‡ 5.00 pm	* 9.45 pm
Cleveland and Chicago Ex	† 2.20 pm	*12.30 pm
Boston Special	† 5.00 pm	* 6.25 am
Cleve. & Detroit "Flyer"	* 6.15 pm	*11.15 am
Chicago Limited	* 8.15 pm	* 6.30 pm
Buffalo and Cleveland Ex	*10.30 pm	* 6.35 pm
Youngstown Accom	† 5.30 am	* 8.50 am
Beaver Falls Accom	† 8.40 am	† 5.35 am
Beaver Falls Accom	† 4.30 pm	† 9.30 am
West Pittsburgh Accom	†12.10 pm	† 8.15 pm
Beaver Falls Accom	† 3.30 pm	†12.15 am
New Castle Express	† 4.20 pm	† 7.30 am
New Castle Express	† 8.05 am	† 1.10 pm
Beaver Falls Express	† 5.25 pm	† 6.30 am
Brownsville Accom	† 2.10 am	† 6.45 am
Brownsville & N. Hav. Ex	* 8.30 am	* 8.00 am
McKeesport & Brownsville	†11.30 am	†12.40 pm
Brownsville & N. Haven	† 2.30 pm	† 4.50 pm
Brownsville & N. Haven	* 5.20 pm	* 5.45 pm

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Pennsylvania Lines.

By Central Standard Time.

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Fort Wayne and Chicago	* 3.15 am	* 2.15 am
Tiffin and Toledo	* 3.15 am	* 5.30 pm
Indianapolis, Louisville, St. Louis	* 4.50 am	* 6.05 am
Columbus and Cincinnati	* 4.50 am	* 4.05 pm
Cleveland and Bellaire	† 5.00 am	† 7.05 pm
Wellsville and Bellaire	† 5.00 am	† 8.55 pm
Alliance and Cleveland	† 5.00 am	† 1.15 pm
Alliance and Mansfield	† 5.00 am	† 5.50 pm
Erie, Youngstown and Ashtabula	* 6.30 am	* 8.30 pm
Erie, Youngstown and Ashtabula	† 6.30 am	†10.55 am
Ohio Valley Express	† 8.35 am	† 6.30 pm
Salem and Alliance	* 7.00 am	†10.40 pm
Fort Wayne and Chicago	* 7.00 am	* 6.55 pm
Wellsville and Bellaire	† 7.30 am	† 4.55 pm
Wellsville and Bellaire	† 7.35 am	* 8.55 pm
Mercer and Oil City	† 7.45 am	*10.35 am
Jamestown and New Castle	* 7.45 am	* 1.20 pm
Jamestown and New Castle	* 7.45 am	* 8.25 pm
The Forest City Special	* 8.00 am	* 8.40 pm
Columbus and Cincinnati	* 8.00 am	* 5.40 pm
Expo Train, Ft. Wayne, St. Louis	* 8.20 am	* 6.30 pm
Youngstown and Niles	* 8.30 am	* 4.30 pm
The Toledo Special	*11.30 am	* 5.50 pm
Youngstown, Ashtabula & Jamest'n	†12.05 pm	† 1.50 pm
New Castle and Ashtabula	†12.05 pm	† 5.40 pm
The World's Fair Special	* 1.00 pm	* 8.55 pm
Columbus and Chicago	1.05 pm	* 2.20 pm
Cleveland and Bellaire	† 1.25 pm	† 3.15 pm
Alliance and Mansfield	† 1.25 pm	† 8.55 pm
New Castle and Erie	* 4.30 pm	* 3.50 pm
Mercer and Oil City	* 4.30 pm	* 8.30 pm
Youngstown and Niles	* 4.00 pm	* 4.30 pm
New Castle and Ashtabula	*10.45 pm	* 6.40 am
Beaver Falls and New Castle	†10.40 pm	† 5.50 pm
Alliance and Cleveland	*11.00 pm	* 6.40 am

Leave for Washington, Pa., 6.00 am, 12.30 am, 10.30 am, 1.00 pm, 4.15 pm, 6.00 pm, 11.30 pm. †4.10 am, †6.15 pm, 11.30 pm, †6.30 pm, 12.20 pm, †10.30 pm.

Leave for Wheeling, 6.45 am, *8.00 pm, 111.30 am, 12.01 pm, *6.15 pm.

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SOCIETY

INVITATIONS will go out in a few days for the annual Monday night cotillions, the exclusive series of dances held year after year, with one or two exceptions, and approved by the smart Allegheny and Shadyside families. There will be four cotillions this winter, on alternate Monday evening, December 6 and 20, and January 3 and 16. The committee arranging for them is the same which had charge last season and includes Arthur W. Bell, Clinton L. Childs and George S. Oliver. As has always been the custom they will be conducted in the white and crimson and gold ball room of the Pittsburgh club, in Penn avenue.

The list of patronesses has been appointed and though somewhat smaller than last year, is a representative one, including Mrs. Harry Darlington, Mrs. Louis W. Dalzell, Mrs. William Nimick Frew, Mrs. Harvey Childs, Jr., Mrs. Harmar D. Denny, Mrs. James Stuart Brown, Mrs. James Wood, Mrs. Henry Chalfant, Mrs. Carroll H. Fitzhugh, Mrs. John H. Ricketson, Jr., Mrs. Douglass Stewart, Mrs. Frederick Curtis Perkins, Mrs. William Nimick Murray, Mrs. Frank Scott Willock and Mrs. James Harold Childs.

—Each year sees one or two changes in the list of patronesses—the insertion of the name of some bride or young matron while the older women drop out.

Charity Bazar in the Garden.

Duquesne Garden, the scene of so many merry gatherings during the winter season, was filled with a gay throng last evening, the occasion being the charity bazar for the benefit of the East End hospital. The entertainment was conducted in the large auditorium on the second floor of the garden. Booths lined the walls, each one being decorated in bright-colored bunting. Elevated seats were placed several rows deep on one side of the room, the center of the floor being given over to dancing, while the stage was occupied by smaller tables. The booths will be in charge of girls from the different parishes. Those last evening at the refreshment booth were Miss Gertrude Boyd, Miss Carrie Quinn, Miss Annie McDonald, Miss Frances Healy, Miss Berina Bradburn; fancy booth, Miss Nellie Fitzgerald, Miss Nellie Daly, Miss Nellie Gallagher, Miss Margaret Kearnan, Miss Margaret Lemon, Miss Margaret Sheehan; fortune teller's booth, Miss Nan Kirwan, Miss Marie Magorian, Miss Anna Coll; candy, Miss Katherine Flanagan, Miss Anna McNulty, Miss Michale Donegan, Miss Bertha Friday, Miss Lillian Gorley, Miss Myrtle Ramsey, Miss May Ward, Miss Nellie Hague; fish pond, Miss Annie E. Coults, John McElroy, James H. Waugaman, Emmett Showalter; floral booth, Mrs. C. W. Wymard, Miss Agnes O'Brien, Miss Reglia O'Brien, Miss Nellie Griffin, Miss May Nolan, Miss Jennie Dorian, Miss Anna Devitt, Miss Margaret Doran and Miss Belle Hawkins; second fancy booth, Miss Katherine McCormick and aids. The bazar will be continued through the week with different features each day. The afternoons will be devoted to the entertainment of the children.

Bachelors' Dinner at the Union.

Dr. Edward Duff King, who is to wed Miss Marjorie Lawrence Ayres, gave a dinner for the ushers and best man, Charles King, at the Union club last night. The ushers are Arthur W. Ayres, George N. Ayres, Paul Ache, Herbert Hess, Charles Lawrence, all of Pittsburgh, and Dr. Frederick Stewart of Chicago. Mr. and Mrs. David M. Kirk will give a dinner at the Hotel Schenley this evening, to be followed by the wedding rehearsal. Covers will be laid for 20. Those present will be Mr. and Mrs. David M. Kirk, Miss Jean Burns Kirk, Miss Robina Laurie Kirk, Miss Sarah C. Kirk, Mrs. Junius R. Walsh, Mrs. Carlstine Walsh, Mr. and Mrs. Nicholas Goshorn Ayres, Miss Marjorie Lawrence Ayres, Miss Lillian Hirth, Miss Martha King, Dr. Edward Duff King, Charles King, Arthur W. Ayres, George N. Ayres, Paul Ache, Herbert Hess, Charles Lawrence and Frederick Stewart. The wedding will take place at the Hotel Schenley tomorrow at 7:30 o'clock. An altar will be erected against a background of palms. The Rev. Lyman E. Davis of Grace church, Sharpsburg, will officiate. After the wedding Dr. King and his bride will go east for their wedding trip. They will spend the winter in Pasadena, Cal. The bride-elect is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Nicholas Goshorn Ayres, of Sharpsburg.

Have Gone East for the Horse Show.

The horse show in New York is, as usual, claiming a good deal of interest this week. Mr. and Mrs. Henry Robinson Rea of Allegheny left last evening for New York, and Mrs. Elizabeth M. Horne and Miss Madeline Langhlin are now in the metropolis. W. D. Henry, who has 11 horses on exhibition, is east and Mr. and Mrs. William Walter Wilcock expect to join their friends at the show later this week. Mr. and Mrs. William Booth

Miss Mary Stillman, the beautiful New York girl who is to become the bride of Edward P. Harkness, Standard Oil man, whose fortune is estimated at not less than $25,000,000. The wedding is set for Nov. 15.

Trainer, who came home from St. Louis for the wedding of Miss Darlington and Mr. Stoddard on Wednesday, are now in New York. Mrs. William J. Holland, an aunt of Mrs. Trainer, will also be there. Mrs. James H. Park will go east for the show today. Mrs. William Thaw, Jr., came up to her Allegheny home from Sewickley yesterday, while her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Lafayette Collins, went to New York to attend the show. Mr. and Mrs. Louis E. Stoddard, who are now in New York, will be members of the Pittsburgh party in Madison Square Garden. They expect to go to New Haven on Saturday for the football game between Yale and Harvard. Mr. Stoddard is a Yale man.

Attendants at Miss Metcalf's Wedding.

Although it will be quietly conducted tomorrow evening the wedding of Miss Ellen Mendenhall Metcalf, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Metcalf, and William Gregg Doolittle is one of much interest. Miss Metcalf will have as an attendant Miss Sarah Scott, a schoolmate at Mrs. Platt's school in Utica, N. Y., who will serve as maid of honor. There will be three bridesmaids, Miss Clara Hussey, Miss Eda Young, and a niece, Miss Christine Metcalf. The ribbons will be carried by four little nieces of the bride, Miss Alix Metcalf, Miss Hilda Metcalf, Miss Marjorie Scudding and Miss Helen Metcalf. Mr. Doolittle will have but one attendant, his brother, Harry P. Doolittle of Washington, D. C., who will act as best man. The ceremony is to be performed at 8 o'clock by the Rev. Dr. Edward H. Ward, rector of St. Peter's Protestant Episcopal church. A large church wedding had been planned, but owing to the death of Mr. Doolittle's father these plans were abandoned. Seated at the bridal table at the wedding supper will be the men who would have served as ushers had the wedding taken place as at first planned. They are William A. Blakeley, Edward Vath, Martyn Coster, Mr. Vielen, William McMeniff, Jr. and Stuart Holdship Robinson. In addition to the relatives of the bride and bridegroom the guests will include the male whom Miss Metcalf had selected for the church wedding.

Last Year's Buds as Assistants.

A number of last year's debutantes will act as assistants today at the tea which Mrs. Henry Balkan of College avenue will give to introduce her daughter, Miss Harriet Weyman Balken. Miss Amy Richards of Philadelphia, who is Miss Balken's house guest, will receive with the hostess and the debutante, and Mrs. Hew C. Torrence will pour tea.

Mrs. Edward Duff Balkan will give a theater party at the Nixon next Monday evening, the play to be followed by supper at the Duquesne club. On this occasion the guest of honor will be Miss Balken for whom Mrs. George A. Macbeth of Amberson avenue will also give a luncheon Friday of this week.

Wedding Guests Have Gone Home.

Mrs. Stephen H. Bennett and her three little daughters, Miss Margaret, Miss Helen and Miss Elizabeth Bennett, left for their home in Boston last evening. They came here for the wedding of Mrs. Bennett's sister, Miss Darlington, and Louis E. Stoddard on Wednesday. Mr. and Mrs. Frank Darlington also left last evening, returning to their home in Indianapolis. Mr. and Mrs. Park Painter and their daughter, Miss Gladys L. Painter, who have been guests of Mrs. Painter's sister, Miss Guthrie of Ridge avenue, Allegheny, left for Lakewood, N. J., yesterday.

Mrs. Hunter's Assistants.

Mrs. John Walker of Allegheny and Mrs. Arch Geddes Hamilton of Meadville will receive with Mrs. James Grant Hunter at the reception she will give at her home in Aiken avenue this afternoon. The hours will be from 3 until 6 o'clock, and acting as assistants there will be Miss Georgiana Negley, Miss Julia D'Armit, Miss Mary McElhany, Miss Edna Carpenter Wilson, Miss Helen Robb Wilson, Miss Martha McCance, Miss Grace Runnette and Miss Jessie Scott. On a later date, probably next Monday, Mrs. Hunter will give a theater party at the Nixon for her aids and an equal number of men.

Opening Lecture Before the Academy.

The opening lecture before the Academy of Science and Art will be delivered tomorrow evening in the Pittsburgh Conservatory of Music, Dithridge street. George F. Kunz, A. M. Ph. D., will talk on "Precious Stones: How Found, Mined, Cut and Prepared for Commercial and Artistic Purposes." Mr. Kunz has held important positions with the United States Geological survey since 1882, and is the gem expert for Tiffany of New York. He will display an interesting collection of gem stones, and will also make some interesting experiments with the aid of the Heimholtz machine and a Watts and Bartlet ultra-violet lamp.

Entertaining for a Bride.

Mrs. Thomas M. Jenkins will issue cards during the latter part of the week for a reception on Thursday, December 1, in honor of Mrs. Edward Perry Clark of Connellsville. Mrs. Clark is a bride of June and was formerly Miss Maud Hugus of Connellsville. From 3 until 5 o'clock are the hours for Mrs. Jenkins' reception. Mrs. A. J. Hopkins will entertain her euchre club this afternoon at her home in Margaretta street, East End.

Birthday Box Party.

Miss Emsie Taylor of Ivy place gave a birthday box party at the Grand opera house last night and a supper afterward at the Monongahela club. The party, chaperoned by Mrs. L. H. Taylor and Mrs. A. F. Moore, included Miss Helen Spuhler, Miss Mildred Andrews, Miss Eva Brown and Frank Spuhler, Edmund Miles, Joseph Andrews and Lee Spuhler. The table decorations were American Beauty roses with favors of the same flower.

Thanksgiving With the Boys.

Mrs. Harry Darlington and Mrs. Harmar D. Denny of Allegheny will leave the city late this week for Concord, N. H., where they will be joined by Mrs. Louis W. Dalzell. They will spend Thanksgiving day with their sons, who are at St. Paul's school for Boys in Concord.

Russell-Kamback.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles A. Russell of Sidney street, South Side, announce the marriage of their daughter, Edna Irene, and Martin F. Kamback, on Wednesday, November 9. After an eastern wedding trip Mr. and Mrs. Kamback will make their home in Linwood avenue, Mt. Oliver, where they will receive after December 1.

Chose Last Day of November.

Mr. and Mrs. John Thomas have issued invitations for the marriage of their daughter, Miss Alice Scaife Thomas, and John Charles Hill of New York, which will be solemnized on Wednesday evening, November 30, at their residence in Avondale place, East End.

Entertaining a Bride.

Miss Eliza Neal Rogers of Dallas avenue, East End, is entertaining her sister, Mrs. Charles T. Ingham, who was married last September. Miss Rogers gave a small informal entertainment in honor of her sister on Saturday afternoon.

Home from Princeton.

Mr. and Mrs. Alexander R. Peacock of North Highland avenue are home from the east, where they had been since last Tuesday. They returned on Sunday morning after witnessing the Yale-Princeton football game in Princeton on Saturday.

New Whist Club Organized.

A new whist club recently organized in the Sewickley valley held its first meeting yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. George A. Cellar, the organizer, in Thorn street. About 30 were present. Meetings will be held weekly at homes of members.

American Art.

American artists with pencil and brush formed the subject which the members of the Colloquium club discussed yesterday afternoon. The meeting was held in the parlors of the Pennsylvania College for Women, under the direction of Mrs. Harry Lawrence. A series of short papers was presented dealing with art in this country. Miss Mary J. Pike spoke of "Early American Art;" Mrs. William F. Abel wrote a paper on "Modern American Art" which was read by Mrs. A. V. Holmes, while Mrs. F. B. Patton discussed "American Illustrators." This last was followed by a general discussion of the merits of the illustrations by men and women. Mrs. J. M. Anderson closed the program with a book review. Music was provided by Mrs. McCutcheon. The next meeting, November 28, will be held at the home of Mrs. John Fremont Shafer when a talk will be given on the present exhibition in the Carnegie Art galleries.

Memorial Services for a Member.

The Lawrenceville New Century club will hold memorial services this afternoon in the rooms of the Lawrenceville branch of the Young Women's Christian association for its late member, Miss H. Elizabeth Cory. Miss Cory was one of the founders of the club several years ago, and as librarian of the Lawrenceville branch of the Carnegie library did much to strengthen the club and enlarge its field of work. She was also its president and was its delegate on several occasions at state federation meetings and local gatherings.

Annual Bazar in Braun's Auditorium.

The committees in charge of arrangements for the annual dinner and bazar which the East End Young Women's Christian association will give on Friday evening in Braun's auditorium, South Highland avenue, are working industriously. Dinner will be served by the women of the different churches in the East End, each church having a different table. During the afternoon and evening the bazar will be conducted, while an elaborate musical program has been prepared for the evening.

Artists' Day in Sewickley.

"Artists' Day" will be observed by the Woman's club of Sewickley tomorrow afternoon. The guest of honor will be Miss Kay Matthews Spencer of New York, who will give a song recital. At the close of the program tea will be served. Miss Spencer will be the guest of Mrs. M. B. Brown in Beaver street.

Historic People and Their Missions.

A lecture for teachers and all others interested in the subject of education and general culture, will be given by Miss Susan E. Blow at the Bellefield club, Center avenue and Craig street, this afternoon at 3:30. The subject will be: "The Nations; or Historic People and Their Mission."

Club Notes.

The Current Topics class met yesterday morning at the Twentieth Century club under the leadership of Miss Julia Morgan Harding. Yesterday afternoon the Homestead Women's club held its regular meeting for the study of Shakespeare. King Richard III. was the play under discussion.

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G. W. KEEPLER, Treasurer.

FIDELITY TITLE & TRUST CO., Pittsburgh, Pa., November 10, 1904.

DIVIDENDS—The board of directors have this day declared the regular quarterly dividend of FOUR (4) PER CENT, payable November 14, 1904, to the stockholders of record November 12, 1904.

C. E. WILLOCK, Treasurer.

Exchange National Bank, Pittsburgh, Pa., Nov. 8, 1904.

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Maria A. Puts.....Tarentum
Andrew S. Wylie.....Elizabeth
Marion D. McNickol.....Forward township
Thomas J. V. Robinson.....Pittsburgh
Mary J. Hill.....Pittsburgh
A. B. Cahagan.....Allegheny
Katherine Denz.....Allegheny
Charles A. Bailey.....Pittsburgh
Adelaide S. Stratton.....Pittsburgh
James M. Colbert.....Deemler
Louise M. Parchenimal.....New Homestead
James McCuire.....Walkers Mills
Mary Gorham.....Walkers Mills
Frank Glatzel.....Allegheny
Lopolin Schwarzbacher.....Leetsdale
Andrew Moffat.....Duquesne
Alice Dunseth.....Duquesne
Richard Sullivan.....McDonald
Maude Dixon.....Glenshaw
Charles Pittman.....Ambridge
Nannie Tucker.....Ambridge
William B. Shirley.....Duquesne
Elizabeth M. Hensler.....Carrick
R. A. Coleman.....Ingram
Martha Pelmargio.....Ingram
Albert E. Wolfe.....Pittsburgh
Mary C. Byrne.....Pittsburgh
Peter Gold.....Pittsburgh
Ida Lenofsky.....Pittsburgh
Frank Sachs.....Braddock
Mary Orient.....Braddock
Julius Draginski.....Pittsburgh
Minnie C. Ostermeyer.....Pittsburgh
David Weimedorf.....Pittsburgh
Bechie Kramer.....Pittsburgh
Harry Colville.....Allegheny
Barbara Geller.....Pittsburgh
W. J. Gilmore.....Allegheny
Nellie H. Harket.....Pittsburgh
James Haswell.....Ellwood
Stella Clarke.....Allegheny
Edward Nagel.....Pittsburgh
Cora Kleer.....Pittsburgh
David C. Loxsdon.....Pittsburgh
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GRAND TRUNK DOUBLY HONORED.

Awarded Two Gold Medals at World's Fair, St. Louis.

The Grand Trunk has been notified by the superior jury of the world's fair that their exhibit in the fish and game building, has been awarded two gold medals. These are given under two classifications in the fishing and hunting groups.

The Grand Trunk pavilion in the fish and game building is one of the most admired in that department, and its artistic and unique conception has attracted marked attention. The exterior of the pavilion is constructed with an eye to architectural beauty, and is ornamented with large photographic pictures 54x78 inches of scenes in the several summer resort districts and fishing and hunting confines in Canada, surmounted by a series of some of the finest deer and moose heads that were obtainable from the Canadian forests. The interior of the pavilion is also artistically arranged with other large photographs, together with oil paintings and mounted fish and game, with Multiflens Mutoscopes projecting moving picture scenes along the line of the railway. One of the leading features of the exhibit is a specimen moose head with 66-inch antler spread, said to be one of the six largest in the world.

In recent years the Grand Trunk has been honored by all the great expositions that have taken place, and has received the following awards: Diploma and gold medal, Paris, 1900; commemorative diploma, Pan-American exhibition, Buffalo, 1901; commemorative diploma, Wolverhampton, Eng., art exhibition, 1902; silver medal, Eastern Townships exhibition, 1903; diploma, Industrial exhibition, Toronto, 1903; diploma, Fifth National Industrial exhibition, Tokyo, Japan, 1903; two gold medals, Universal exposition, world's fair, St. Louis, Mo., 1904.

Thanksgiving Poultry

Long Island ducks, Iowa turkeys, Philadelphia capons, Ohio roasting chickens, finest Elgin creamery butter. McCann's, 401-410 Market street.

A Superb Wedding Gift

The $8,500.00 hand-carved screen to be sold at auction by Shimamura & Co. Thursday, 2 p. m., 420 Wood street, near Diamond.

COAL COMMON JUMPS.

President Robbins of Pittsburgh Company Says That Cause Was Buying on New York Order.

Much interest was aroused yesterday by the advance of 4⅝ points in the price of Pittsburgh Coal common on the Pittsburgh stock exchange. There were rumors that its cause was an important development which had not as yet been made public. This rumor was denied last evening by President Francis L. Robbins, who said the reason for the advance was a demand for the stock and the inability of the buyers to secure it at the prices quoted recently.

The buying order is said to have come from New York. At the opening the stock was marked at 17⅝. With purchases of 5,740 shares it advanced to 23¼, and closed at 21¾, a net advance for the day of 4⅝.

The common stock of the Pittsburgh Coal Company at about 17 is said to have been recognized as too low in comparison with the activity of the preferred issue of the same company and the industrial stocks generally. This is given as one reason why it was impossible to find sellers at that figure. The rise in the stock did not seem to stop the buying until the entire order had been filled.

Two Polish Girls Punished.

Mary Fleeter and Annie Teerup, Polish girls arrested last Sunday on suspicion of having stolen goods from the store of Sarah Tannebaum, 536 Second avenue, were fined $25 and costs yesterday by Magistrate Stewart. Both girls had goods which Mrs. Tannebaum said were taken from her store.

Arrivals at Pittsburgh Hotels.

Newells—F. B. Stage, Kittanning.

Colonial—M. Swarmstead, Punxsutawney; W. G. Billette, Sharon; W. G. Griffiths, Vandergrift.

Lincoln—A. H. Berwold, Bradford; H. P. Berwin, Titusville; John H. Neilson, Oil City.

Duquesne—Charles A. Schoonmaker, Warren; G. F. Myers, Chicora; J. I. Husted, Youngstown; C. B. Camp, Washington.

Griswold—T. W. Marriett, Meadville; W. D. Jacobs, Waynesburg; M. J. Finnegan, Wheeling.

Henry—George Montgomery, Washington; H. J. Carroll, Waynesburg; D. McDonald, Wampum; W. B. Hick, Mt. Jewett; H. L. Shurmann, Johnstown.

Monongahela House—J. E. Richard, Brownsville; R. W. Irwin, Washington; H. E. Wyman, Akron.

Seventh Avenue—W. E. Robinson, Parker; D. S. Williams, Easton; E. A. Bowman, Canton; S. F. Warner, Indiana; T. H. Means, Brookville.

ALL ITS MILLS RUNNING.

American Steel Hoop Company at Youngstown Also Begins Double Turns for First Time.

YOUNGSTOWN, O., Nov. 14.—(Special.)—The American Steel Hoop Company, at its lower plant here today, started up the last finishing mill in the two plants of the city, the 7-inch. The 10-inch mill tonight was started up double turn, the first attempt that the company has made in this line. Preparatory to doing this 40 men were imported from Pittsburgh and the entire force was brought from the Girard mill, which was shut down on Saturday.

The other mills will be started up double turn as rapidly as possible.

Boarding Boss and Guest Quarreled.

Martin Vichinski, the keeper of a Polish boarding house at No. 7 Birmingham avenue, and one of his boarders, George Borick, quarreled last night and were locked up in No. 7 police station. It is alleged Borick was in the kitchen talking to Vichinski's wife when the boarding boss came into the room. An argument followed and Vichinski is said to have picked up a heavy iron dipper and struck Borick on the head. It required 12 stitches to close up the wound.

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WANTED—Technical writer by a large manufacturing concern; must be a ready writer, quick to understand mechanical details and able to describe apparatus clearly and concisely; state age and salary; give references and submit specimens. Address W 195, The Gazette.

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FOR RENT—714 California ave., Avalon; house of 11 rooms and large reception hall, with all modern improvements; arranged for two families; in high class neighborhood; $30 a month; also apartments of 4 rooms and bath, $20 a month. See G. W. Lashley, at No. 636 corner School and Taylor aves., Avalon.

CHOICE HOUSE FOR RENT. Nine rooms, reception hall, bath, furnace, laundry and cemented cellar, located 2 squares from cars; rent $45. FRANKSTOWN REALTY CO., 7806 Frankstown ave., E. E., city.

TO LET—Neat brick house, six rooms, water, gases. Plymouth street, Duquesne Heights. Reduced rental. SEE COMMONWEALTH REAL ESTATE CO., 327-329 Fourth avenue.

TO BE LET. If you are looking for a good Sheraden house, call at our office and look at our list of Sheraden houses to be let. REAL ESTATE TRUST CO., 311 FOURTH AVE.

East End Residences.

LIST of East End houses and apartments, with map, will be mailed free upon request. S. H. LLOYD, 6022 Penn Avenue.

SEND postal for complete rent list of East End houses, apartments and stores. J. W. SHERRER, 6106 Penn ave.

Allegheny Residences.

GET OUR RENT LIST.

REAL ESTATE SAVINGS & TRUST CO., 322 FEDERAL ST.

Desk Room.

FOR RENT—Desk room in best location; best kept office building in Pittsburgh; fine natural light; good ventilation; rent $10 per month; use of telephone; heat, light, janitor and elevator service. Write D 170, The Gazette.

DESK ROOM—Including desk, use of typewriting machine; heat, light and janitor service. J. N. KIDNEY & CO., 491 Grant st.

FOR RENT.

Apartments.

APARTMENTS TO LET. 1423 Bluff st., three rooms, bath, gases, etc., $15 per month. 2068 Fifth ave., four rooms, bath, gases, $20 per month. Robinson and Aliquippa sts., five rooms, bath, gases, etc., $23 per month. 133 Ninth st., six rooms, bath, gases, etc., $45 per month. Send for list. COMMONWEALTH REAL ESTATE CO., 327-329 Fourth Ave.

THE SWISSVALE APARTMENTS. The best apartments in Allegheny county for the price. Corner Braddock and Westmoreland aves., Swissvale; one block from Swissvale station. Four rooms, bath and storage room, only $24, which includes janitor service, heat and light for hall. Only one left out of eighteen. Take car to Swissvale station, walk east one block. C. C. HAMILTON, 316 Fourth ave.

TO LET. APARTMENTS. Corner Wineteiddle and Friendship ave., three rooms, bath, range, gases; hot water supplied fires; also janitor service for public places; public telephones. Bell and P. & A.—$27.50 a month. S. H. LLOYD, Agt., 6022 Penn ave.

TO BE LET. MODERN ALLEGHENY APARTMENTS. In the Avalon apartments, California ave., near Florence ave., all conveniences, 4 rooms and bath; $27.50 a month. REAL ESTATE TRUST CO., 311 Fourth ave.

Flats.

FLATS FOR RENT. 1435 Sandusky st., Allegheny, four large rooms on first floor, and all conveniences. Rent $22.00.

759 E. Ohio st., Allegheny, five rooms on second floor, and all conveniences. Rent $32.00

759 E. Ohio st., Allegheny, five rooms on third floor, and all conveniences. Rent $20.00. EDWARD G. LANG, 819 W. Diamond st., Allegheny.

$25 OAKLAND FLAT. One very desirable flat of 4 (four) large rooms and bath, with all modern conveniences, in the "Linden," foot of McKee place; possession at once. REAL ESTATE TRUST CO., 311 Fourth ave.

$18—BRIGHTON ROAD FLAT. TO BE LET—In Dietrich apartments, Brighton road, near Woods Run, Allegheny, 4 rooms on second floor; vestibule, bath, range, both gases, etc., $18. REAL ESTATE TRUST CO., 311 Fourth ave.

$25 ELSGANT flats, Homer st., East End; take Negley ave. cars to Homer st.

FOR RENT—Three rooms, with bath, hot water, range, $18 per month; new building. 1608 Colwell st.

Offices.

LIBERTY NATIONAL BANK BLDG. (Best Building in East End.)

Cor. Penn and Sheridan avenues. Single or en suite; heat, light, janitor and elevator service furnished. Cheapest rent in city. S. H. LLOYD, 6022 Penn ave.

DESK ROOM in office, second floor Fourth ave. bldg.; all conveniences; use of 'phone; $10. Address V 135, The Gazette.

FOR RENT—Entire lower floor, furnished; use of X-ray and static; office only. 418 Sixth ave., opp. Nixon.

Warehouses.

TO LET. Large warehouse in furniture house district, Penn ave. Seven floors; two elevators, light and steam plants; 40x110 feet floor space; immediate possession. Rent low for permanent tenant who will take long lease. Address P. O. box 919, city.

FOR SALE.

City and Suburban Residences.

TO BE SOLD. ATTRACTIVE SWISSVALE HOME. Only $7,500 for 12-room brick and cement residence. Hardwood floors on first story; two baths, laundry and all modern conveniences; lot 54x156. One square from car line and station. REAL ESTATE TRUST CO., 311 Fourth ave.

HOMESEEKERS, ATTENTION! SWISSVALE IMPROVEMENT CO., 7300 Church st., Swissvale, offers desirable dwellings, 4 to 6 rooms, well located; prices, $2,150 to $3,000; monthly payments.

FOR SALE—In Wilkinsburg, 405 Biddle ave., handsome solid built brick reception-hall house of 10 rooms, tile bathrooms, butler's pantry, hardwood floors, mantel in reception room; in a beautiful location. See owner.

AVALON HOUSE on easy payments. Telephone owner, Bell 1766 Grant; P. & A. 2053 Main.

East End Residences.

EAST END RESIDENCE For Sale—$3,950, worth $4,500—Remarkable offer; only $150.00 down, and $26.25 per month. Note this proposition: A new property in fine neighborhood, well worth $4,000.00 cash, is reduced to $3,950.00 and offered on above unusual terms. Fine lot 25x100 feet, on alley, on corner of two good residence streets. House in excellent condition; has 6 rooms, besides nice finished attic and hall, with open hardwood stairway and bathroom, with bath, h. and c. water, inside w. c. and stationary w. s. and pantry, with laundry tubs; house newly papered throughout; has furnace and water heater, large dry cellar; hardwood mantels and tile hearths, sliding doors; nicely fenced and sodded yard. Three squares from city public school; street cars, stores and churches; strictly good neighborhood; immediate possession; none considered but good reliable people who want a place for a home. HOME TRUST COMPANY, Sixth ave. and Wood st.

BELLEFIELD DISTRICT—Handsome residence for sale at a sacrifice; confidential price given to one who means business; handsome brick residence, situated in Wallingford street; large lot, 54x181, on which is erected a modern brick residence of 11 rooms; convenient to all street car lines; the asking price of this property was recently $25,000, and anyone acting quickly may secure it for a much less price. L. A. CLARK & CO., 409 Fourth ave.

BAUM GROVE RESIDENCE TO BE SOLD. $11,000 for brick residence of 11 rooms and two bathrooms, modern and complete; hardwood floors, etc.; corner lot, 35x130 ft. REAL ESTATE TRUST CO., 311 Fourth ave.

FOR SALE. House, 6 rooms, lot 40x90; Grant boulevard, near Center ave. Owner must sell. Only $3,500. A bargain to immediate buyer. See owner, 517 Park bldg.

FOR SALE—Brick dwelling on lot 50x135 feet. REBECCA ST., NEAR BAUM ST. CHOICE PROPERTY. JAS. MARSHALL, 1506 Arrott Bldg.

Farms.

FARMS—For sale, 100 Ohio farms, near Warren, O.; new descriptive list just out, quoting prices, and illustrated with 20 half tone views of farm buildings, free. Address E. H. Kistler, "Farm Agent," Warren, Ohio.

FOR SALE—REAL ESTATE SPECIAL. A No. 1 farm of 50 acres in Beaver county; good buildings, fruit, water, a nice country home; price $3,500, or would exchange for well located city property. Adress G 135, The Gazette.

SEND FOR ILLUSTRATED Ohio farm list. NEILL & BLAKESLEE, Oakmont, Pa.

Lots.

TO BE SOLD. FIFTH AVENUE FRONTAGE. Only $400 per foot front. Frontage 135x125 feet. Will double in value when "hump" is removed. Willing to trade for East End home. REAL ESTATE TRUST CO., 311 FOURTH AVE.

Business Properties.

IN COMMISSION DISTRICT. TO BE SOLD. Property at cor. Pike and Eighteenth sts., with railroad facilities, will sell for $40,000, which will mean a 16 per cent investment to purchaser; property continues to increase in value. REAL ESTATE TRUST CO., 311 Fourth ave.

For Sale or Exchange.

FARM FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE. 69 acres, Onio twp., Allegheny county, Pa., 3 miles from Glenfield, P., Ft. W. & C. R. R.; land rolling; underlaid with coal; near church and school; finest spring water; log and frame house, five rooms; in good condition; bank barn 20x60; all necessary outbuildings; all kinds of fruit; will exchange for improved. A. C. M'COMB & CO., 526 Fourth ave.

FOR EXCHANGE—For vacant or improved, handsome buff brick center hall residence of 11 rooms, 3 bathrooms, with all modern improvements; N. Euclid avenue; location first-class, lot 41x160; owner will exchange for improved or unimproved property. L. A. CLARK & CO., 409 Fourth ave.

Manufacturing Sites.

FOR SALE—Manufacturing plant; large profits. For particulars address O 109, The Gazette.

Business Opportunities.

HOWICK-THOMPSON CO., 336 Fourth ave., 616 Times Building.

MILK ROUTE—Selling 160 gals. milk and 5 gals. cream a day; two good horses; wagons; 108 box and everything in first-class shape; route is well established and clearing from $150 to $250 a month; 10-room house and bath and barn; rent $45; price $1,350.

RESTAURANT—In a very central location, in the city, doing an average business of $25 a day. This place has first-class fixtures, such as cash register, coffee urn, range and everything necessary for the business. The reason for the selling of this place is sickness; nice storeroom and six living rooms; price $600; half cash and balance on time.

GROCERY STORE—This is a fine business and location, doing a business of $200 a week and clearing $150 a month. Present owner has been in this place nine years; rent $26; four living rooms, will invoice and can be bought for $1,100.

GROCERY STORE—With nice dwelling of 7 living rooms, rent $30; doing an all cash business of from $700 to $800 a month and clearing $150 a month above all expenses; located in Allegheny, in nice neighborhood; price $800.

HOTEL—16 rooms, located on a first-class business street in Youngstown, a city of 68,000 population; rooms are all completely and well furnished, including a piano; finest bar fixtures in the town; doing a good business, but must be sold at once on account of sickness. If you want this place don't write, but come to our office at once. Price $1,500. HOWICK-THOMPSON CO., 336 Fourth ave., 616 Times Building.

If you cannot find what you want in this column write to us and we will give you information on other places we may have.

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FOR SALE—Large Pittsburgh department store willing to sell newspaper cuts, used, but perfect; very cheap; only out-of-town merchants need reply. Address H 196, The Gazette.

FOR SALE CHEAP—Large flour mill in good town; main line of Pennsylvania railroad; siding and coal yard; doing a good business. Address Joseph Wagoner, Indiana, Pa.

GROCERY STORE—In city, doing $250 week; rent $20 month; price $1,200. CAVANAGH CO., 431 Fourth ave.

IF YOU want to buy or sell a business, see MILLER & HOWARD, 431 Fourth ave.

IF YOU WANT to buy or sell any kind of business, see CAVANAGH & CO., 431 Fourth ave.

FOR SALE.

Business Opportunities.

RESTAURANT—Centrally located in Allegheny; first-class stock and equipments; business $40 per day. Price $1,000.

CONFECTIONERY AND CIGAR STORE—First-class location; good stock and fixtures; doing a good business of $100 per week; will sacrifice to a prompt buyer for $700.

GROCERY STORE—Located on Federal st., Allegheny; first-class stock and fixtures; doing a cash business of $100 per day; will invoice about $3,000.

CONFECTIONERY AND CIGAR STORE—We consider this Allegheny store the best small investment we have on our list; first-class stock and fixtures; rent of store and 2 living rooms $14 per month; will show books where store has average of $65 per week for the last 2 years. To a prompt buyer for $350. CENTRAL REALTY CO., 422 FEDERAL ST., ROOM 305, ALLEGHENY, PA.

HIGH-CLASS BUSINESS OPPORTUNITIES are a special feature of our business. Do not buy or sell without first seeing us. MILLS-SLAUGHENHOUPT CO., 428 Fourth ave.

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FOR SALE—Atlantic City hotel, 40 rooms, good bar. Address Mrs. C. Clarck, general delivery, Atlantic City, N. J.

FURNITURE BUSINESS. Established 3 years, excellent location, large custom, stock about $7,000; outstanding accounts almost $15,000; all for $7,500 cash. ADDRESS F 215, THE GAZETTE.

Machinery.

MACHINERY. No. 4 Long & Alstatter double punch and shear. 120" Re-squaring shear. 36" Lever trimming shear. 22" Foot-power shear. 20-ton 35' 6" span electric traveling crane. 15-ton 60' span traveling crane. 15-ton Steel jib crane. 10-ton Wood jib crane. 5-ton Wood jib crane. Also Boilers, Engines, Bar Mills, Pumps, etc. WICKES BROS., Both 'Phones. Forty-fifth st. and A. V. Ry.

1 35½, 1 15, 1 15 H. P. "Brighton" gas engine. 1 35½, Baruth Bros.; 1 2 H. P. Otto gas engine. 1 700, 1 400 A. C., 1,100 V. Westinghouse dynamo. 15 A. C. 100 volts are lamps, 33, 1,000 to 100 transformers. All the above in good order. 1 lot copper W. P. No. 4 and 6 wire. New engines from 3½ to 600 H. P. All kinds of machine work. Gas engine experts to do repair work. EMPIRE MACHINE WORKS, Office 311 Empire bldg. Factory 210 Third ave. Pittsburgh, Pa.

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FOR SALE—Engines, boilers, sawmills, sand crushers, grinding mills, brick machinery, rock crushers, road machinery, traction engines, threshers, corn huskers, hydraulic cider mills, belting, hose, circular saws, general supplies. B. D. REED, 26 E. Lacock st., Alleghe

SENSATIONAL ADVANCE IN PITTSBURGH COAL COMMON

The Stock Jumped Nearly Six Dollars a Share on Heavy Dealings—Pittsburgh Shut Off from Wall Street by the Storm.

By JOHN O. BAGLIN, Financial Editor.

Pittsburgh was practically shut out of Wall street all day yesterday by the storm which prostrated telegraphic service with the east. A few quotations were reported over the ticker during the afternoon, but it was absolutely impossible to send orders or to receive advices and the long intervals between the meager quotations that were received over the public wire, and the apparent violence of the fluctuations, caused a nervous feeling throughout the day.

The local market, however, made up in excitement and activity for the enforced idleness in the New York market. Trading here opened fairly active in the purely local securities, and dealings increased as the day wore along. It was shortly after the noon hour when a sensational advance occurred in Pittsburgh Coal common. Many of the brokers were absent at lunch, when the representatives of three prominent houses began to bid up the price of Pittsburgh Coal common. The stock had sold early in the session at 17⅞@17⅝. The bidding began at the latter price and was carried up to 23¼ before a share of stock appeared for sale. The reporting of the quotations over the ticker brought brokers scurrying back to the exchange and it required some little time before they could fully appreciate what had happened. A few hundred shares changed hands at 23¼, and then selling orders began to pour into the exchange. The demand, however, was larger than might have been expected and the market held comparatively well, reacting to 21⅜, but closing at 21⅝ sales and bid. The total sales of the stock reached 5,740 shares. The preferred stock was less active, but advanced to 79, a new high record for the year, and closed at 78½ bid.

There were no developments in the affairs of the company to account for the advance, and the movement was generally credited to very clever manipulation. It has been the general impression for weeks past that a large short interest existed in both the common and preferred stocks, and this short interest is not confined to local traders. A large amount is said to be outstanding for account of Cleveland traders, and New York is also thought to be short. Owing to the imperfect telegraphic service, a good opportunity was offered to rush the price up at a time when brokers here could not get into communication with their out-of-town principals. Still, the feeling on the coal stocks has been quite bullish of late, and after the close of the market yesterday predictions were made of much higher prices for both issues. River Coal common sold at 10 and closed at that price asked, but the preferred after selling at 28@28½ advanced to and closed at 29 bid, 30 asked.

United States Steel stocks and Westinghouse Electric were comparatively neglected on account of inability to ascertain the market for these stocks in the east. Steel common advanced from 26⅞ to 27¼ and closed at 27⅜ bid. Less than 100 shares of the preferred changed hands at prices ranging from 85¼ to 87, closing at 86¼ bid. Crucible Steel common rallied to 9⅜, but late in the afternoon reacted to 9¼, a net loss for the day of ¼ per cent. The preferred rallied to 47¾, but reacted to 47¼ at the close.

The strongest of the Westinghouse group was Union Switch and Signal, which rose 4½ points to 78 and closed at 77½ bid. Electric advanced to 89, but reacted to 88½ and closed without bid or offer. Air Brake was offered at 130.

National Fire Proofing stocks were more active than for some time past. The common, after selling at 12, declined to 11⅝ and closed offered at that price. The preferred opened at 32⅞ but declined to 32½, and at the close as offered at 33⅜. Pittsburgh Plate Glass sold at 127½, but was subsequently offered at 126¾ and closed at 125 bid. United States Glass preferred changed hands at 38, which was unchanged from the last previous sale. American Sewer Pipe was more active than for weeks past, 1,190 shares changing hands at 22¼, and the stock closing at 22⅝ bid. Manufacturers Light and Heat closed a shade lower at 38¼.

Some rather sensational advances also occurred in the bank and trust company group, and after the half hour devoted to the call there were numerous private sales. The largest advance was in Real Estate Trust, which rallied $20 a share to 270, reacted to 265, and closed at 265 bid. Commonwealth Trust was 10 points higher at 200, and Home Trust advanced 5 points to 125. Western Savings and Deposit advanced to and closed at 118 bid, and German American Savings and Trust advanced 3 per cent to 161, closing at 160 bid for 100 shares. Colonial Trust sold at 390, a decline of 5 points from last week.

In the bond department $14,000 Pittsburgh, McKeesport and Connellsville 5s sold at par, an advance of ¼. River Coal 6s were in demand at 109¼ bid, and Brewing 6s closed at 114½ bid.

PITTSBURGH STOCKS.

Sales on the Pittsburgh stock exchange yesterday were as follows:

10:00 A. M. to 10:30 A. M.

100 Sewer Pipe	22¼	50 U. S. Glass	48
100 do	22½	10 E. Proof pfd	32⅞
50 do	22½	10 do	32⅝
100 do	22½	15 do	32⅞
100 do	22½	30 do	32⅞
40 do	22½	100 do	32⅞
5 Electric 2nds	88	100 do	32⅝
25 do	88½	25 do	32½
100 do	89	10 Cons. Ice com	7
50 do	89	10 P. Coal com	17½
42 do	89	300 do	17½
5 do	89	100 do	17⅜
42 do	88½	100 do	17⅜
40 do	88½	195 Ohio Fuel	40
10 E. Proof com	11⅞	10 Cons. Ice pfd	38
11 do	11⅞	20 P. Coal pfd	77⅝
50 do	12	15 do	77⅜
10 do	12	10 do	78
100 do	12	50 do	78
10 do	12	50 do	78
200 do	12	50 do	78
10 Crucible com	9⅝	20 Brewing com	28½
200 do	9½	20 do	28½
10 do	9½	50 P. Plate Gl	127½
40 do	9½	20 do	127½
50 do	9¼	50 Luster	13
50 do	9¼	50 do	13
50 do	9¼	10 Brewing pfd	45½
50 do	9⅜	6 Crucible pfd	47½
30 P. Oil & Gas	75	15 do	47⅜
20 do	75	50 do	47⅜
50 do	75	50 do	47⅜
50 U. S. Glass	47⅝	6 U. S. Stl. pfd	85¼

10:30 A. M. to 11:00 A. M.

10 Crucible com	9½	25 Switch com	75
50 do	9½	50 do	75
25 do	9¼	15 P. Coal pfd	78
5 do	9¼	50 do	78
10 do	9¼	100 do	78
2 M. L. & H	38½	50 P. Coal com	17⅜
25 Con. Ice com	7½	50 do	17⅜
25 do	7½	10 Luster	13
45 Switch com	74½	200 Sewer Pipe	22½
5 do	74½	20 U. S. Stl. pfd	86
20 do	74½	1 P. Oil & Gas	75
30 do	75	25 E. Proof pfd	32½
165 do	75	50 U. S. Stl. com	27¼
50 do	75		

11:00 A. M. to 12:30 P. M.

10 U. S. Stl. com	26⅞	65 Sewer Pipe	22½
100 do	27⅛	50 Crucible pfd	47⅜
50 do	27	10 do	47⅜
20 do	27	5 do	47⅜
25 do	27⅛	50 do	47½
15 do	27⅛	50 do	47½
20 do	27⅛	50 do	47½
1 U. S. Stl. pfd	85½	20 F. Proof com	11⅜
10 do	86½	18 Brewing pfd	45½
14 do	86¼	50 do	45½
50 E. Proof pfd	32⅝	20 do	45⅜
25 do	32⅝	10 Brewing com	26½
10 do	32⅜	10 do	26½
25 do	32⅝	65 do	26½
50 Switch com	78	50 do	26½
10 do	78	50 do	26½
25 do	78	20 do	26½
10 do	78	10 Iron City Tr	140
25 do	77⅜	20 do	140
25 do	77⅜	10 do	140
5 Electric 2nds	88½	10 do	140½
35 do	88⅜	10 do	140
25 do	88⅜	20 Commonw. Tr	200
25 do	88¾	25 do	200
50 Con. Ice pfd	36	30 do	200
10 do	36	15 do	200
100 Crucible com	9¼	15 do	200
10 do	9⅛	15 do	200

12:30 P. M. to 2:00 P. M.

160 E. Proof pfd	32⅝	50 P. Coal com	22½
10 do	32¾	50 do	22⅜
2 do	33	50 do	22½
5 do	32⅝	50 do	22½
10 do	32⅝	100 do	22⅜
50 do	32⅝	50 do	22½
10 do	32⅜	160 do	22¼
30 do	32⅜	250 do	22½
10 do	32⅝	50 do	22¼
25 U. S. Stl. pfd	86⅝	50 do	22¼
10 Con. Ice com	7½	50 do	22¼
30 M. L. & H	39¼	400 do	22¼
165 do	38⅝	150 do	22¼
20 do	38½	50 do	22¼
15 do	38⅝	100 do	22½
50 do	38⅝	100 do	22½
50 Electric 2nds	88⅝	200 do	22¼
200 F. Proof com	11⅝	200 do	22½
5 do	11⅝	200 do	22⅜
50 do	12	50 do	22¼
10 U. S. Stl. com	27¼	100 do	22⅜
30 do	27½	50 do	22¾
5 do	27	10 do	22¾
100 do	27½	200 do	22¾
50 P. Coal com	23¼	185 P. Coal pfd	78
100 do	23	15 do	78
5 do	23¼	5 do	78
50 do	23¼	50 do	77⅝
50 do	22½	50 do	77⅝
50 do	23	50 do	78
50 do	23	50 do	78
50 do	23	50 do	78
50 do	22¾	10 do	78½
50 do	22¾	50 Crucible pfd	47¼
100 do	22⅞	5 Brewing pfd	45½
100 do	22⅜	50 Luster	13
50 do	22⅜	100 Crucible com	9½
50 do	22⅜	15 do	9½
50 do	22⅜	50 do	9½
50 do	22½		

2:00 P. M. to 2:30 P. M.

50 F. Proof pfd	32⅝	50 F. Proof com	11⅝
161 do	32⅝	50 do	12
20 do	32⅜	400 do	11⅞
20 do	32⅝	50 do	11⅞
20 do	32⅝	50 do	11⅞
10 do	32⅜	20 Crucible com	9½
50 P. Coal pfd	79	500 P. Coal com	22½
50 do	78⅝	100 do	22¼
10 do	79	50 do	22¼
20 do	78⅞	$2000 F. McK. & C. 5s	100
50 do	78½	do	100
50 do	78½	$5000 do	100
25 do	78½	$5000 do	100
25 do	78½	$1000 do	100
5 do	78¼	$1000 do	100
10 W. Glass pfd	38	$2000 U. S. Steel Con. 1. f. 5s	88
5 U. S. Stl. com	27½	$2000 do	88

2:30 P. M. to 3:00 P. M.

100 P. Coal com	22¼	8 E. Proof pfd	32½
50 do	22¼	40 do	32½
50 do	22¼	25 do	32½
100 do	22	5 Brewing com	26⅜
100 Riv. Coal com	10	100 Riv. Coal com	10
50 do	22	40 Crucible com	9½
100 do	22	80 do	9⅝
50 do	22	20 do	9¾
50 do	22	50 do	9¾
50 do	22	80 M. L. & H	38¼
50 do	22	10 U. S. Stl. pfd	87
20 do	22¼	30 Riv. Coal pfd	28½
50 do	22⅛	25 P. Coal pfd	78½
50 do	22	50 do	78⅝
100 do	21⅝	100 do	78½
100 do	21⅝	100 U. S. Stl. com	27⅜
50 do	21⅜	100 do	27½
50 Electric 2nds	88½	25 P. Oil & Gas	75
100 F. Proof pfd	32⅝	100 Crucible pfd	47½
150 do	32¼	50 F. Proof com	11⅝
10 do	32½		

Summary.

Shares.	High.	Low.	Last Sales.	Ch'ge.
200 Brewing	*26⅜	26½	26⅜	+¼
101 Do pfd	45½	45½	45½	+⅛
135 Cons. Ice	7½	7	7⅛	+⅛
70 Do pfd	36	36	36	0
1455 Crucible Steel	9¾	9¼	9¼	−¼
465 Do pfd	47¾	*47	47½	0
1551 Fire Proofing	12	11⅝	11⅝	−¼
1195 Do pfd	*33	32½	32½	−⅝
100 Luster	13	13	13	−½
209 M. L. & H	38⅝	38¼	38¼	−¼
105 Ohio Fuel	40	40	40	0
5740 Pgh. Coal	23¼	17⅜	21⅝	+4⅜
1385 Do pfd	79	77¾	78½	+⅞
96 P. Oil & Gas	75	75	75	0
70 P. Pl. Glass	127½	127½	127½	−½
100 River Coal	10	10	10	−½
170 Do pfd	28¼	28⅜	28½	+¼
1190 Sewer Pipe	22½	22½	22½	0
675 U. Switch com	78	77¼	77⅜	+¼
100 U. S. Glass	48	47⅝	48	0
680 U. S. Steel	27½	26¾	27½	+½
96 Do pfd	87	*85¼	87	+1⅝
475 W. Elec. 2ds	89	*88	88½	−½
10 W. Glass pfd	38	38	38	0
BANK STOCKS.				
15 Colon. Trust	393½	390	390	−5
145 Com. Trust	209	200	200	+10

FEATURES OF THE DAY

Pittsburgh Coal common jumped from 17⅞ to 23¼ and closed at 21⅝, on sales of nearly 6,000 shares.

Pittsburgh Coal preferred advanced to 79, a new high record for the year, and closed at 78½ bid.

Local bank and trust company shares were active, advancing from $2 to $20 a share and closing at the top.

Union Switch & Signal advanced to 78, a new high mark for the year, and closed at 77¾, a net gain of $4.

Sales on the Pittsburgh exchange were 16,531 shares stock and $14,000 bonds, the largest for any day this year.

Crucible Steel common reacted from 9¾ to 9¼ and the preferred closed unchanged at 47½. United States Steel common and preferred closed strong and higher.

Pittsburgh was shut out of the New York market by the complete prostration of telegraphic service, which lasted all day so far as private messages were concerned.

In New York a wild market was checked by heavy gold export engagements. The sales foot up 1,567,100 shares stock and $9,785,000 bonds.

Shares.	High.	Low.	Last Sales.	Ch'ge.
10 Federal N.B.	190	190	190	0
20 G.A.S. & T.	161	161	161	+3
25 Home Trust	125	125	125	+5
60 I. C. Trust	140½	140	140	0
25 Mer. S. & T.	56	56	56	0
15 R. Est. Trust	270	265	265	+15
10 W.S. & D.B.	118	118	118	+2
16531				
BONDS.				
$14000 P.McK.&C.5s	100	100	100	+¼
4000 U.S.Stl.s.f.5s	88	88	88	0
$18000				

*Less than 10 shares.

Closing Bids and Offers.

STOCKS.	Par.	Bid	Ask.
Pittsburgh Stock Exchange	$ 100	$3000	10000
Arsenal Bank		135	
Diamond National	100		428
Exchange National	50	80	
Lincoln National	100	246	
Western Saving & Deposit	100	118	
Iron & Glass	100		300
Real Estate Trust	100	265	280
Safe Deposit & Trust, Pgh	100	438	448
Iron City Trust	100	140	
Allegheny Trust, Allegheny	100	145	
Manufacturers Light & Heat	50	38⅛	38⅝
Ohio Fuel Supply	25	39⅞	40¼
Pittsburgh Oil & Gas	100	74¾	75
Citizens Traction	50		70
Luster Mining	50	12⅜	
Consolidated Ice	50	7	
Crucible Steel	100	9¼	9⅜
Do preferred	100	47¼	47¾
Harbison-Walker	100	9½	10
Do preferred	100	62	65
Monongahela River Coal	50		10
Do preferred	50	29	30
National Fire Proofing	50	11½	11⅝
Do preferred	50	31⅞	32⅝
Philadelphia Co	50	40¼	
Pittsburgh Brewing	50	26¼	26¾
Do preferred	50	45¾	
Pittsburgh Coal	100	21⅝	21¾
Do preferred	100	78½	
Pittsburgh Plate Glass	100	125	126¾
Pittsburgh Stove & Range	50	5⅞	6¼
Do preferred	50	13	14
Standard Underground Cable	100	190	199
Union Switch & Signal	50	77⅝	78
Do preferred	50		100
United States Glass	100	47½	48
United States Steel	100	27⅜	27½
Do preferred	100	86¾	
Westinghouse Airbrake	50		130
Pittsburgh-Buffalo pfd	100	105	
BONDS.			
Pgh., McK. & Conn. 1st 5s			100
Monongahela River Coal 6s		109½	
Pittsburgh Brewing 6s		114½	114½
W. & E. Pgh. St. Ry. 5s		111	
Pleasant Valley con. 5s		112	
Pittsburgh-Buffalo 5s		102½	102½
American Sewer Pipe 6s		98½	

PI GIRON WARRANTS

The following quotations were made on warrants of the American Pig Iron Storage Warrant Company:

Class.	Bid.	Ask.
A—January delivery	$17.85	$18.00
B—January delivery	15.75	16.00
D—January delivery	15.50	....
A—November delivery	17.85	....
A—December delivery	17.85	....
D—November delivery	16.00	....
D—December delivery	16.00	....

LOCAL BANK CALL.

At the call of local bank stocks trading was active, as will be seen in the summary of transactions, and prices were strong and higher. After the close of the regular call the bidding continued and transactions were made which did not receive official record. Following were unposted quotations for small lots:

	Bid.	Ask.
Cosmopolitan National	107	....
Diamond National	400	....
Federal National	190	194
First National, Pittsburgh	525	....
German National, Pittsburgh	240	....
Second National, Pittsburgh	700	....
Diamond Savings	....	205
Fidelity Title & Trust	490	....
Guarantee Title & Trust	185	190
Real Estate Trust	267	270
Commonwealth Trust	....	200
Iron City Trust	140½	142½
Home Trust	....	124
Colonial Trust	391	394
Merchants Savings & Trust	56	57
German American Trust	160	....
Franklin Trust	....	52
South Hills Trust	100	....
Peoples Trust	....	140

NOTES AND COMMENT.

While the tip has been in circulation for some time past that the local coal stocks were to be advanced, the street was not prepared for the 6-point jump in Pittsburgh Coal common, which occurred yesterday. The movement was a genuine surprise. It started with Miller, who has been quite prominent in the stock for weeks past, bidding a large fraction above the last sale. Sproul & Company followed by jumping the price a dollar a share, and Whitney, Stephenson & Company raised it a further large fraction. The bidding was confined mainly to the representatives of these three prominent houses, and in less than five minutes the market had risen from 17⅝ to 23¼, the highest since October last year, and without an intermediate sale. The majority of brokers were out at their lunch when the rise began. Still, there was a fair representation of traders on the floor, and the surprising feature was that they did not appear to have any selling orders. As soon as the telephones could be reached and the offices notified of the movement, orders began to come in, and in a few minutes brokers came hurrying back to the exchange. Among the heaviest sellers were Speer Bros., Morris, Brown & Company, W. A. McCutcheon and Masten & Company. The heaviest buyers were J. L. D. Speer & Company, who took more than 500 shares, Sproul & Company, Robinson Bros. and Bayley. There was a good deal of theorizing as to the real basis for the movement, most traders looking upon it as concerted manipulation on the part of a bull pool in the stock, who seized the opportunity when communication with outside markets was shut off to make the short interest uneasy. Equally surprising as the strength, however, was the absorbing power of the market, and the comparatively small offerings. A few months ago the market would have been swamped with orders to liquidate on a 6-point rise, but yesterday the stock was stronger above 21 than it has been around 17. One thing that was commented upon as significant was that the buying originated in Pittsburgh. Last week several inquiries were received from New York regarding the market position of both the common and preferred stock, but there was no opportunity for New York traders to wire their orders here yesterday.

"I made just $4,000 by going out for a bite of lunch today," remarked a local broker after the close of the market yesterday. "It is not often," he continued, "that I go out for lunch, and when I do I usually arrange to have some one look after my orders during my absence. Today, however, I thought it would be all right to take a few minutes because there was nothing doing in New York, and I thought our market would quiet down. When I came back to the floor I found Pittsburgh Coal common was more than $4 a share above the price at which I had orders to sell a thousand shares, so I got $4,000 more for the stock than I was willing to take a half hour before. If I had been on the floor I would have begun selling when the advance started."

At one time during the excitement in Pittsburgh Coal the stock was offered on one side of the bull ring at 22½, while 23 was being bid on the other side. The preferred stock, as well as River Coal preferred, sympathized with the strength of the leader and closed higher for the day.

The Pittsburgh stock market yesterday demonstrated that it could "go it alone," and in the entire absence of quotations from New York for more than two hours, and only meager service during the remainder of the day, trading in local securities continued buoyant. The sales for the day, footing up 16,531 shares of stock and $14,000 bonds, were the largest for any day this year.

Pittsburgh stock exchange seats were bid up to $8,000, an advance of $200 over the sale last Friday, and the highest price of the year. One seat was offered at $10,000, and R. C. Hall offered $100 for the privilege of calling a seat at $12,000 this year and the same amount to call a seat at $14,000 within the next 12 months.

There were no dealings in Philadelphia Company on the local board, but the stock closed at 40 bid, as compared with a sale on Saturday at 39¾. The rumor which was circulated in Philadelphia on Friday of the probability of a reduction in the dividend rate on the common stock is officially declared to have been unfounded. Philadelphia advices stated that the rumor originated in an idle remark in a broker's office to the effect that Philadelphia Company common would sell as high as present if the dividend were reduced from 6 to 5 per cent. The real market for the stock is in Philadelphia, where it is believed the controlling interest is held, and for that reason the stock did not feel the depression in Pittsburgh last spring to the same extent as other purely local securities.

Owing to the roundabout route forced upon the telegraph companies, many inaccuracies crept into the few quotations which were received by Pittsburgh brokers during the day. The prices were in some instances half an hour apart, and indicated violent fluctuations. The first quotation received on United States Steel preferred was 87¾, the next 88, and then a half hour later 85¾, followed late in the day by a quotation of 87¾. These were incorrect, the official extremes being low 86 and high 87⅜. The total sales were 122,900 shares preferred and 127,700 shares common. Three quotations were received on Missouri Pacific in this order: One hundred and nine, 108¾ and 107¾. The official range was 109 high, 107¾ low, and 108¼ close. The most active railroad stock was Southern Pacific, with sales of 139,800 shares at prices ranging from 65¾ to 67⅜, the close being 67⅜. The sales of all stocks for the day were 1,567,100 shares.

After the close of the regular bank call there were private sales of Iron City Trust at 142, an advance of $2; Colonial Trust at 392, a recovery of $2, and North American Savings at 110. For 100 shares German American Savings and Trust 160 was bid.

Late in the session National Fire Proofing stocks became quite active and sold off fractionally. Lawrence & Company bought 500 shares of the common.

It may be only a coincidence, but it is nevertheless a fact that the loans of the National City bank and of the National Bank of Commerce of New York decreased nearly $11,000,000 last week, and these two banks are the ones which in connection with Kuhn, Loeb & Company, advertise for subscriptions to the $60,000,000 Japanese war loan. In the weekly statement of the New York banks the amount of securities owned by the banks is included in the item of loans, and a large decrease in this item may mean, not a contraction in the borrowing by the public, but liquidation of securities held by banks. It would be natural for the two banks mentioned to take profits on New York securities in anticipation of handling the Japanese loan. The subject is said to have been discussed in Wall street yesterday.

The United States Steel Corporation, which owns the Bessemer & Lake Erie, the road over which it transports its ore from Conneaut to Pittsburgh, is anticipating for next year the heaviest business in its history. In addition to the 1,000 steel cars and 10 locomotives for which orders have been placed, the company will get additional equipment. The orders for cars already placed call for not less than 10,000 tons of steel plate.

HEAVY GOLD EXPORTS CHECK A WILD MARKET

Steel Stocks, Copper and Southern Pacific Were Leaders in Wall Street—Big Gains in Many Inactive Specialties.

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

NEW YORK, Nov. 14.—The excited speculation was dashed by the large engagement of gold for Paris today. The wild character of the movement of the first hour in industrial specialties and low-grade railroad stocks aroused misgivings as well. These two influences paved the way for the reaction which became quite general during the midday period and forced the level of prices for the active standard stocks a point or more below Saturday's level. The decline was at no time beyond control and the part played by bear selling was shown by the late demand to cover shorts.

The sales recorded during the first hour rose to over half a million shares, showing the rate of activity well maintained at the recent maximum, in spite of the interruption of wire service by the storm, which practically paralyzed the activities of some of the commodities markets. The usual arbitrage operations with such speculative centers as Chicago, Pittsburgh, Cincinnati, Philadelphia, and Boston, were cut off and private wire houses lacked communication with points even nearer at hand. The unimpaired volume of the demand for stocks under these circumstances and the character of some of the securities which moved most violently were suggestive of a narrow origin for the business and increased the uneasiness of those who were on the watch for signs of reaction. It was supposed, however, that the later strength in the market was due in part to receipt of belated orders from out of town sources.

The immobility of the call loan rate in face of the gold movement was another factor in the late recovery of confidence. The $3,000,000 of gold engaged for shipment to Paris on Thursday, together with the $3,000,000 expected to go to Cuba this week, certainly threaten an important inroad upon the $5,894,550 of surplus reserves shown by the Saturday bank statement. The $2,000,000 shipped to Cuba on Saturday had not yet figured in that statement. But the money market showed that if the resources of the banks were running low there was recourse available to other sources, as was the case last week, while the banks were reducing loans to the extent of nearly $15,000,000. The hope was held out also that the threatened call of the United States treasury upon the banks for government deposits might be averted. Loan rates were actually easier toward the end of the day.

Very cheerful and hopeful advices were received in Wall street from all quarters of the railroad, commercial and industrial worlds generally. The strength of the United States Steel stocks, Southern Pacific, Amalgamated Copper, Sugar and the New York tractions were important sustaining factors in the market

FOUR SHADYSIDE PROPERTIES SOLD

S. S. Marvin Disposes of Fine Residence Sites in Dahlia Street.

MORE ACTIVITY IN BUILDING

Four choice residence sites in Shadyside were sold yesterday through the Commonwealth Real Estate Company for $30,384. They belonged to S. S. Marvin and are located on the south side of Dahlia street, near Amberson avenue. M. B. Suydam bought three of the lots, two of which measured 50x111 feet and the third 53x111 feet. The price for the bunch was $22,884. It is said the lots will be improved soon with high class houses. The other purchase was made by Ralph Longenecker, who secured 50x111 feet adjoining the first properties for $7,500. The lots are among the best building sites on the market in that vicinity and are considered reasonable at $150 a foot.

Nestir Costikyan has bought from Haratune Michaelyan three properties for $14,000. One is a vacant plot 110x53 feet, facing on the northwest side of Herron avenue, near Wylie avenue, Thirteenth ward. The others are 53x90 feet, on the south side of Hampton street, Swissvale, and 50x120 feet on the south side of Middletown road, in Chartiers township.

The presbytery of Pittsburgh has purchased from Thomas S. Maple 100x102 feet at the southeast corner of Chalfant and Delmont streets, Thirty-eighth ward. The consideration named is nominal and the lot will be used for church purposes.

Building Is Livening Up.

More activity is evident this week among architects and many jobs that have been held in suspense ahead. The following contracts have been awarded for buildings in and around Pittsburgh:

Architect J. A. Long to Smith & Kaufman, brick and stone mission house in Clearing street, Thirty-eighth ward, for the Presbyterian congregation of that locality, to cost $15,000; Architect D. E. Sheridan to H. C. Van Ormer & Son, two frame store buildings for A. D. Ewing at 275-277 Frankstown avenue, East End; Architect F. H. DeArment to the Real Estate Improvement and Supply Company, 12 houses for Emil Stengel in Loretta street, to cost $15,000; Architects MacClure & Spahr to Charles Reif, Jr., a two-story brick telephone exchange at George and Orchard streets, Knoxville, for the P. & A. Telephone Company; Architects Thomas W. Boyd & Son to C. W. Brockunier, a brick residence for J. R. Atwell at 50 Sherman avenue, Bellevue, to cost $8,000; Architect T. E. Billiquist to F. J. Thompson, a two and one-half story residence in Sorosville avenue, Edgewood, for R. M. Jones, to cost $10,000.

These plans are on the boards for estimates this week: Five brick houses, to be built for J. C. Fry in Frazier street from plans by Architect F. H. DeArment; a three-story brick store and apartment building for Homer Schneiderman in Collins avenue, from plans by Architect W. Thaudes; 17 brick houses to be built for George H. Shickler in Delmar place, from plans by Louis Stevens; four brick veneered houses for C. N. Gault from plans by Architect George H. Schwan; seven brick houses in Crafton, on which bids are being taken by J. F. Wineland.

May Be Another Big Boom.

Jeannette, with its 14 big manufacturing plants is experiencing a decided boom in real estate and building. Most of the plants have been running steadily for the past year and this fact, with the great natural beauty of the town and its excellent class of public improvements, is drawing a large number of buyers into the market there. E. O. McWilliams, who has been active in real estate dealings in Jeannette for years, says that the initial boom of 1889 is likely to be eclipsed by the present buying and building movement.

J. H. McClelland is the latest addition to the list of downtown brokers. Mr. McClelland opened an office yesterday in room G, in the Park building and will do a general real estate, mortgage and renting business. He was formerly of the firm of Robinson, Bruckman & McClelland, and for the past 18 months has been in the real estate business at 307 Brighton avenue under the name of J. H. McClelland & Company. This office will be retained for the present as a branch, his main office being down town.

Graham street: William A. Sipe sold to Robert T. McElroy 45x160 feet on the west side of Graham street, near Friendship avenue, Twentieth ward, for $6,000. Frank Hammah to Benedict, Ocean avenue: James McKee sold to James M. Fanning an improved lot, 17x50 feet, on the north side of Penn avenue, Twelfth ward, for $6,000, and a similar property adjoining for the same price.

Minor Real Estate Sales.

Second avenue: Alfred Davies sold to the Hazelwood bank an improved lot, 24x100 feet, on the east side of Second avenue near Hazelwood avenue, Twenty-third ward, for $5,866. Mr. Davies bought the property in October from George C. Burgwin for $3,700.

Lemington avenue: Edward V. Neuhart sold to James B. Rodgers and William Baird an improved lot, 25x100 feet, on the southwest side of Lemington avenue, Twenty-first ward, for $4,700.

Miami avenue: Thomas W. Hamilton sold to Otis B. Lane 60x100 feet in Miami avenue, Fourteenth ward, for $1,200.

Excelsior street: Henry L. Born sold to Mathilda Walker an improved lot, 25x87.5 feet, in Excelsior street, Thirty-first ward, for $1,750.

Meadow street: Homer McK. Sill sold to Ralph De Ninno an improved lot, 25x76 feet on the southwest side of Meadow street, near Lowell street, Twenty-first ward, for $3,300. Mr. De Ninno bought the property from the Pittsburg Bank for Savings for $2,650.

McClure avenue: John R. Morrow sold to Dorothea Bergman 50x150 feet on the north side of McClure avenue, near Tilbury street, Twenty-second ward, for $3,600.

Lincoln avenue: G. B. Sweeny sold to William Johe 30x100 feet on the south side of Lincoln avenue, Twenty-first ward, for $2,400.

The bureau of building inspection issued permits yesterday as follows: Ellen V. Burkle, 13 brick veneered dwellings at Cora and Milford streets, Oakland, $37,800; Edwin Collins, brick dwelling in Bristol street, $1,000; Hamp Moore, three frame dwellings in Washington avenue, $3,000; Elizabeth Beck, frame dwelling in Graham street, $2,700; George J. Kurtz, brick veneered dwelling in Millvale avenue, $3,500; D. F. Guespipe, brick store and dwelling at No. 7221 Tioga street, $1,200; George Brothers, brick store and dwelling at No. 30 Federal street, $5,000; August Bonnett, brick dwelling at No. 2009 Ann street, $4,800; Jacob Young, brick extension to building at Carson and South Twenty-sixth streets, $1,350; W. H. Thackeray, foundation for store at Webster avenue and Fulton street, $1,000.

Transfers Recorded.

Semple James to E F Seamon, Nov 1, Avalon, 40x182, Home ave..... $ 1,250
Stevenson A to E Fareh, Sept 1, Wilkinsburg, 32x72, Johnston st..... 1,370
Donovan D G to A A Walker, Oct 18, Duquesne, 37x100, Lincoln ave.... 4,355
Bittinger W W to E Gozon, Feb 27, 25th wd, Pgh, 20x120, Sidney st.... 2,500
Tankert August to M S Austin, Oct 31, 11th wd, Ally, 25x115, William st.. 1,000
Neuhart E V to J E Rogers, Nov 10, 21st wd, Pgh, 25x100, Lemington ave 4,700
Duquesne School Sub Dist to F W Mueller, Oct 1, 1st wd, Pgh, 99x150, Second ave..... 100,000
Clark Chas to M F Ogden, Nov 5, Crafton, 100x220, Warren st..... 3,500
Love L E to C I Marshall, Oct 24, Wilkinsburg, 51x88, Coal st..... 4,000
Robinson C G to Emma Young, Nov 2, 2d wd, Ally, 20x100, Arch st..... 2,900
Wier S S A to Elizabeth Kleiber, July 12, 12th wd, Ally, 112x150, Kaiser ave.. 5,750
Gilliam S A to Emma Reibert, Nov 1, Sewickley, 50x170, Centennial ave.. 4,000
Tener W J to J M Kearns, Oct 31, 14th wd, Pgh, 34x90, Coltart sq.... 5,750
Randolph T A to L V Lowstuter, Nov 3, N. Braddock, 25x120, Hawkins ave..... 5,750
Glassport Land Co to E Greinert, July 19, Glassport, 25x110, Ohio ave..... 600
Campbell J J to Thos J Campbell, Aug 8, S S Fayette twp, 20 acres..... 1,505
Irwin R J A to Richard Mierzwa, June 22, 11th wd, Pgh, 81x29, Webster ave..... 3,200
Mierzwa Richard to Edward J. Kretz, Nov 1, 11th wd, Pgh, 81x29, Webster ave..... 3,200
Fowkes Thomas to Marion Bell, Nov 9, Homestead, 20x110, Fourteenth ave.. 2,800
Shickler Geo H to F W Moesta, Sept 8, 21st wd, Pgh, 25x92, Hermitage st. 4,850
Paine Robt T Jr to Frank E Kyle, Oct 29, Ingram, 4 lots West Pgh annex.. 880
Ake Wm S to M R Sullivan, May 3, Sheraden, 50x90, Merwyn ave..... 600
McMaster S C to W C Schofield, Oct 25, Avalon, 26x123, Chestnut st..... 8,800
Biddle Harry E to A C Iverson, Oct 5, Versailles twp, 26x110, State st.... 1,575
Sheridan E & Imp Co Lim to H A Hoerr, Sept 26, Sheraden, 50x100, Main st..... 450
Eshart Wm H to E E McCandliss, Nov 4, 22d wd, Pgh, 32x84, East End ave..... 7,000
Munden Wm I to Frank Dillon, Nov 3, Scott twp, 60x90, Clayton ave..... 500
Guthrie Geo W to E F McBride, Oct 17, 22d wd, Pgh, 50x120, Braddock ave.. 3,000
McCrady J M to Sarah Shillen Mch 24, 21st wd, Pgh, 25x100, Auburn st.... 8,000
Belfz Jno to Cyrus H Lang, Oct 9, 21st wd, Pgh, 20x93, Kedron ave..... 2,350
Sheafer James to J W Watson, Sept 10, 19th wd, Pgh, 30x89, Rodman st.. 8,050
Watson J W to H C Rather, Nov 1, 19th wd, Pgh, 30x89, Rodman st.. 7,000
Shaw E T to Jno F Rice, Nov 7, 32d wd, Pgh, 48x110, Southern ave..... 1,500
Grant Hannah to Benedict, Ocean ave.... 8,300
Stewart H S A to Geo Beltz, July 12, 19th wd, Pgh, 50x110, Portland st.. 3,250

LOCAL MARKETS WERE ALL GREATLY IMPROVED

Dealers Pleased With Situation and Think Business is on the Up Grade.

Local markets experienced a decided improvement yesterday and buyers in all lines were plentiful and liberal in their purchases. There were no changes in prices in any of the commodities as the increased sales resulted in a general stiffening of what might have been a falling market.

Wholesale grocers were particularly pleased with the day and stated that it was one of the best Mondays experienced for months. Every dealer reported a general loosening up among the buyers and they all believe that the dull season is ended.

Flour is expected to go up again today. The millers advanced the price 10 points yesterday and the announcement created some little flutter in the local market. The price here has been below the mill price for some time, and Pittsburgh has been enjoying a peculiar experience in this line. Dealers generally think the figure will rise this morning to be more in conformity with that at the big milling centers.

In produce lines there was a surprisingly good business for Monday, and the receipts were heavier than they have been for more than a week. A lot of potatoes came in yesterday, swelling the total on hand to nearly the figures of a week or two ago. No change took place in prices, however, and produce and commission men say potatoes are as low now as they are likely to go.

Receipts of fruit and produce in the local yards yesterday were as follows: Apples, 30 cars, making 162; bananas, 12 cars, making 28; cabbage, 24, making 83; carrots, 3, making 4; grapes, 4, making 15; lemons, 3, making 4; onions, 10, making 21; oranges, 5, making 10; pears, 1, making 13; potatoes, 42, making 146; squash, 1; miscellaneous, 12, making 24.

HAY AND GRAIN. RECEIPTS.

Receipts of hay, grain and feed in the local market yesterday were as follows: Pennsylvania lines, 36 cars hay, 18 cars oats, 4 cars rye, 13 cars corn, 5 cars oats and corn, 9 cars feed, 4 cars straw. Baltimore & Ohio, 12 cars hay, 1 car oats, 1 car straw. Pittsburgh & Lake Erie, 12 cars hay, 1 car wheat, 2 cars corn, 1 car malt, 4 cars oats.

Business in the hay and grain exchange yesterday was much better than it has been for a week or two past. Receipts for the day were comparatively light and prices held up well. New yellow ear corn advanced in price and oats stiffened up greatly under an improved demand. The corn situation is easing up as the colder weather is inducing shipments of new corn which is arriving in good condition. Hay is improving in quality and the demand for the best grades remains as before with no difficulty in disposing of that kind at full quotations.

No. 1 timothy ..$12.25@12.50
No. 2 ....$11.00@11.50
No. 1 clov.$12.25@12.75
No. 1 mix.$12.25@12.75
Loose from wagon..$14.00@16.00
Straw, oat..$7.25@7.75
Straw, wheat..$7.75@8.25
No. 2 white oats .....84½@85c
No. 3 oats.....84@84½c
No. 4 oats.....83@85¼c
White middlings, No. 1, ton.$23.00@23.50
No. 2 middlings .$21.50@22.50
do brown.$20.00@20.50
Bran, ton..$13.00@19.50
Wheat, No. 2 red, at mill...$1.06@1.08
Corn, No. 2 yellow shelled ...64@64½c
High mixed ..60½@61c
No. 2 yellow ear .....63¼@64c
New yellow ear .....51½@52c
No. 2 rye, western ..92@92½c

FRUITS.

Lemons, Messinas ....$4.00@4.50
Oranges, Florida ..$3.25@3.75
Jamaicas, per box.$3.00@3.50
Cocoanuts, bags ....$3.50@4.00
do doz. .....65@75c
Figs, cartons....75@80c
do layers ....5@12c
do washed, stuffed doz...$2.25
Dates, stuffed 18c
Bananas 1st.$1.50@2.00
do 2nds ..$1.00@1.50
Pineapples, crate ....$3.00@3.50
Grapes, California, crates ...$1.75@2.50
N. Y. grapes, 8-lb basket.19@20c
do Malaga..$4.00@5.00
do Catawba, 4 lb ....15@16c
Grape fruit...$5.00@6.00
Apples, ½ bu ...25@35c
Choice ....$1.25@1.50
Fancy ....$2.00@2.25
Bulk, bbl....75c@$1.00
Limes, per 100 ..75c@$1.00
Pears, 10-lb b'skts.20@25c
20-lb b'skts.40@50c
Keifers, Ohio and N. Y., bbls. ....$2.00@2.50
Quinces, bbls. ....$4.50@5.00
½-bu .....75@85c

HERBS.

Sage, doz.....20@25c
Summer savory, doz. .....20@25c
Sweet marjoram, doz. .....20@25c
Lemon thyme, doz. .....20@25c

GROCERIES.

Flour.
Fancy spr. patent, quarters, in paper..$5.50@6.00
Fancy winter patent...$6.10@6.20
Straight win.$5.80@5.75
Rye .....$4.70@4.85
Graham ....$4.65@4.70
Cornmeal, bbl. ....$3.00@3.10
do 10-lb cotton bags ....15½@17c
Buckwheat ..$3.00@3.25
Rolled oats, bbl...$4.70
do kegs $2.50
Roasted Coffee.
Rio .....13½@15c
Santos .....22½@24½c
Maracaibo ...15@15½c
Peaberry ....17½@18c
Golden Rio ...15@15½c
Caracas .....19½@20c
Standard, pkgs 13.05c
High grade.15½@19½c
Molasses, fancy refined ....35@36c
do choice ....31@34c
do open ket ..37@38c
Syrup.
Fancy syrup...28@30c
Maple syrup, gal.$1.10
Sug. and cans...24@25c
Prime .....24@25
½-lb cans, doz...$1.00
¼-lb cans, doz...$1.10
5-lb cans, doz....$5.40
10-lb cans, doz....$9.40
Maple, gal. ..75c@$1.00
Oatmeal, bbl. $5.25
do kegs $2.75
Sugar, sta. gran..5.30c
do bags.....5.35c
do 2-lb carton..5.55c
do 5-lb bags....5.55c
do pow'd xxxx.5.50c
do cut loaf.....5.55c
do cubes 5.65c
do coff. A.4.80@5.25c
do No. 1 yellow.5.25c
do No. 2 yellow.4.80c
do No. 3 yellow.4.80c

Beans.

Navy, choice H. P. ...$1.90@2.00
Red kidney..$3.25@3.30
Cal. lims, lb..5¼@5½c
Peas, dried, bu. .....$1.25@1.35
do split, lb.....4c
bu. .....$2.00@2.10
do marrowfat, bu .....$2.00@2.10
Oil, carbon, 110 deg. 11¾c
do headlight ...12¾c
do water white..13c
do Ohio W. W. 150 deg. 12¾c
do Elaine 10c
do special brands .....26@43c
Rice, ex-fancy head, lb.....6@6¼c
do fancy Japan .....4@4¼c
do choice, Carolina .....5¼@5½c
Salt, No. 1 bbl....$1.00
do No. 2 extra..$1.10
do gran. rock.....95c
do gocket..$1.50@1.85
do dairy $1.50
Lenthe fancy "O-O," lb. 4½c
Sauerkraut, 40-gal. cask...$5.00
do 15-gal. keg...$2.10

CANNED GOODS.

Peaches, sta. pie...$1.10
do pie, gal.$2.50@3.00
do California, Y. F. ...$1.80@2.00
Corn, fancy $1.10@1.20
do stan. ...90c@$1.00
Cherries, Cal. white ..$2.50@2.75
Lima beans.$1.25@1.45
do soaked ...75@80c
String beans, 2-lb...70c
do 3-lb 95c
Stringless beans ..$1.25@1.75
Peas, marrowfat ....85@90c
do early Juns .....82@85c
do soaked ...55@65c
Apples, 3-lb, gal. cans..$2.15@2.25
Pineapples ..$1.25@2.35
Plums, California ...$1.55@1.60
Raspberries ....85@95c
Gooseberries ....85@90c
Tomatoes, fancy ...$1.15@1.35
do standard...80@85c
do gal. ....$2.60@2.75
Succotash, 2-lb cans ....$1.25@1.40
Baked beans, cans, plain, tomato sc...75@95c
Salmon, dos..90c@$2.00
do red, 1-lb flats ....$1.00@1.50
1-lb flats.$1.65@2.00
do pink, 1-lb talls ...$1.30@2.10
Chipped beef.$2.25@2.75
Corned beef, 2-lb cans ....$2.40@2.45
do 1-lb cans ....$1.20@1.35
Mackerel, boneless, cans ..$1.90@2.50
Sardines, domestic, ½s...$3.45@3.60
do mustards, ¾s $2.60
do French.$9.50@18.50

PROVISIONS.

Hams.
18 lbs and up.....10c
Over 14 to 18 lbs .10c
Over 10 to 14 lbs.10½c
10 lbs and under.10¾c
Skinned 11c
Boneless boiled...17½c
California 7¾c
Shoulders, N. Y., cut 9¼c
do skinned 9¼c
Ribs, 8 to 10 lbs.11¼c
do 10 to 12 lbs.10½c
do back strips.11½c
do clears, 8 to 10 lbs. 11¾c
do 10 to 12 lbs.10¾c
Breakfast bacon, flat strips ...10¾c
Dry salt sides, extra short clears ..8¾c
Bellies, 20 to 25 lbs. 9c
do 16 to 20 lbs..9¼c
do under 16 lbs.9¾c
Dry salt smoked sides, extra short clears ...9¾c
Bellies, 20 to 25 lbs. 10c
do 16 to 20 lbs.10¼c
do under 16 lbs.10¾c
Lard, pure, tierces .....8@8½c

POULTRY AND GAME.

Live hens ....16@16c
do roosters ...7@8c
do old turkeys.14@15c
do old ducks.11@12c
do spring chickens ...11@12c
do geese .....8@9c
do spring ducks .....13@14c
Dressed hens...15@16c
do roosters ...12@13c
do turkeys ...26@21c
do spring chickens ...16@17c
do Long Island ducklings 20c
do capon, lb..20@27c
Squab, doz $4.00
do No. 2 .....$3.15
Ducks, ruddy $1.25
do red head.$1.75@3.00
do canvasback ...$2.75@3.00
Impt. golden plover, doz. $5.50
do black plover.$4.50
do grouse $2.50
do partridges ..$2.25
English pheasants, per pair $4.25
Reed birds, doz...$1.25
Snappers, per lb..5@10c
Rabbits, pair...30@40c
Woodchuck ....40@50c

BUTTER, EGGS AND CHEESE.

Butter.
Prints .....28@28½c
Tubs .....27½@28c
Ohio cream....25@26c
Dairy .....21@22c
Country r'l.16½@17½c
Cheese, N. Y. full crm, new.11½@12c
do Ohio crm.11@11½c
do ⅝ cream, new .....9½@10c
do Wis. Swiss, tubs .....14@15c
do block ...14@14½c
do imported.27@27½c
do Limberger, new..13@13½c
do 5-lb brk.14½@15c
Neufchatel per box...90c@$1.00
Shefford, box 95c
Eggs, selected 27c
do candled 1sts...25c
do storage ...22@23c

SALT FISH.

Mackerel, No. 1 mess, bbl....$26.00
do half bbl....$11.50
do quar. bbl....$6.00
Mackerel, No. 1 plain, bbl....$20.00
do half bbls...$10.50
do quar. bbls...$6.25
do 20-lb pails..$2.40
do 10-lb pails..$1.75
Mackerel, No. 2 large, bbl....$16.50
do half bbls....$8.50
do quar. bbls....$4.50
do 20-lb pails...$1.90
do 10-lb pails...$1.00
do No. 2 Irish, 50-lb tubs....$5.00
Lake herring, 100 lbs. $3.35
do 50-lb $1.35
do 10-lb 50c

DRIED FRUIT.

Apricots, evap., bags .....10@12c
do 25-lb boxes ..10½@12½c
Apples, bulk....6¼@7c
do 1-lb cartons .....7½@8c
Peaches .....7@10½c
Raisins, seeded, 1-lb pkg..7½@8¼c
Raisins, Muscatel, 2 and 4 crown 50-lb boxes..6@6¼c
do Ondaria ..Val. .....8@8½c
do Cal. Val....7@7½c
Currants, cleaned, 25 and 60-lb pkgs .....6½@6¾c
Prunes .....5@8c

NUTS.

Filberts .....11@12c
Eng. walnuts...12@15c
do dom....90c@$1.00
S. S. almonds....16½c
Tarr. almonds 10c
Mixed .....10@11c
Brazil .....9@11c
Italian chestn'ts.9@10c
do domestic, choice, lb....5@6c
do fancy, lb....7@8c
do dried Italian, lb.7c
Shellbarks, bu. .....$1.50@1.75
do new ....$1.75@2.00
Pecans 10c
Peanuts, fancy roasted $1.60
do choice $1.30

SEEDS.

Clover, from store, recleaned, 60-lb bu small.$7.60@7.85
do mammoth ....$7.70@7.90
do crimson.$4.50@4.75
do white .....
do Dutch..$0.75@11.50
Alsike .....$8.00@9.00
Alfalfa .....$8.50@9.00
Millet, Western ..$1.25@1.50
Southern ..$1.75@1.80
Grass, Hungarian .....90c@$1.00
do lawn, lb....16@18c
do blues, 14-lb bu. ...$1.25@1.50
do red top, 14-lb bu..$1.10@1.60
Timothy ....$1.45@1.55

HIDES.

No. 1 green steer, heavy 9c
do light, under 60 lbs. and cows, all weights 8c
No. 1 green bulls...6c
Green salt or cured, No. 1 steers, over 60 lbs.....11c
do No. 2.....9c
Cows and lig't hides.10c
Calfskin, No. 1.....12c

Butter, Eggs and Cheese.

NEW YORK, Nov. 14.—Butter firm. Receipts, 2,782 pkgs. Street price; Extra creamery, 25@25½c. Official prices: Creamery common to extra, 15@25½c; held common to extra, 16@22c; renovated common to extra, 13@19c; western factory common to choice, 13@16½c; western imitation creamery, common to choice, 13@16½c; western imitation creamery, common to choice, 15½@16c. Cheese firm, unchanged. Receipts, 744 packages. Eggs strong. Receipts, 2,759 packages. State, Pennsylvania and nearby fancy selected white, 35@38c; do choice, 30@33c; mixed fancy, 30c; western fancy selected, 28c; western average best, 24@28c; southerns, 19@27c.

PHILADELPHIA, Nov. 14.—Butter steady; extra western creamery, 25½c; extra nearby prints, 28c. Eggs firm, good demand; nearby firsts and western firsts, 25@26c, at mark. Cheese firm, fair demand; New York full creams fancy, 11½c; do choice, 11¼c; do fair to good, 10⅝@11c.

CHICAGO, Nov. 14.—On the produce exchange today the butter market was steady; creameries, 16@24c; dairies, 15@21c. Eggs steady, at mark cases included, 17½@20½c; firsts, 22½c; prime firsts, 24½c; extra, 26½c. Cheese steady, 10½@11c.

The Cotton Market.

NEW YORK, Nov. 14.—Cotton futures closed steady. November, 9.75c; December, 9.88c; January, 9.98c; February, 10.06c; March, 10.10c; April, 10.14c; May, 10.22c; June, 10.26c; July, 10.26c. Spot closed dull. Middling uplands, 10.25c; middling gulf, 10.50c. Sales, 1,100 bales.

WHEAT WEAKENS IN ABSENCE OF CABLES

Local Longs Were Inclined to Take Profits—Corn and Oats Also Off.

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

CHICAGO, Nov. 14.—Liquidation due to the absence of news form European grain centers, caused weakness in wheat here today. At the close the December delivery was off ¾@⅞c, while the May option was down ⅝c. Corn shows a loss of ⅛c. Oats are off ⅛@⅛c and provisions 5 to 10c.

Sentiment in the wheat pit was bearish from start to finish. Impossibility of communication with the eastern seaboard by wire tended to make a tame session.

In the absence of any news from foreign markets local longs were inclined to take profit. Initial quotations on December were off ⅜@½c, at $1 14. May was lower to a shade higher, at $1 13⅞@1 14⅛. Influenced by a smaller movement in the northwest, shorts, immediately after the opening, covered quite freely. The result was an advance to $1 14⅜ for December. May sold up to $1 14⅝. The market, however, soon yielded to persistent liquidation and prices started on a gradual decline. Reports from the southwest were bearish, a message from Oklahoma City claiming that acceptances of wheat there were the largest in six weeks. St. Louis also reported a poor demand for cash wheat. At $1 13⅜, December touched the low point of the day. The bottom on May was reached at $1 13⅛. Just before the close there was some buying on a report of frosts in Argentina. In consequence the market made a slight recovery, but the tone at the close was weak. Final quotations on December were at $1 13⅝. May closed at $1 13⅞. Primary receipts were in 1,295,100 bushels, compared with 1,685,800 bushels a year ago. Minneapolis, Duluth and Chicago reported receipts of 800 cars, against 1,199 cars last week and 1,287 cars a year ago.

In the corn pit weakness of wheat and increased movement of the new corn crop and lack of outside support caused corn to sell for the first time in many weeks primary receipts of corn today were nearly equal to those of the corresponding day a year ago. Several large commission houses were active sellers. Offerings were taken by scalpers. December opened unchanged to ⅛c lower, at 51@51¼c, sold between 50¾ and 51⅜c, and closed at 50¾c. Local receipts were 250 cars, with two of contract grade.

Trading in oats was exceptionally quiet, and price fluctuations were exceedingly narrow. December opened a shade lower at 29@29¼c. Local receipts were 108 cars.

Influences by liberal receipts of hogs, and lower prices in the yards, local packers were fair sellers of lard, and, as the result prices of all hog products showed losses. At the close January pork was off 7½ to 10c, at $12 67½; lard was down 5c at $7 07½; ribs were 5@7½c lower at $6 62½@6 55.

Estimated receipts for tomorrow: Wheat 91 cars; corn, 395 cars; oats, 153 cars; hogs, 28,000 head.

The leading futures, reported by John D. Armstrong & Co., members of the Chicago board of trade, Farmers Bank building, are as follows:

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.	Saturday's Close.
WHEAT					
No. 2					
Dec...	1 14¼	1 14⅝	1 13⅜	1 13⅝	1 14⅛
May ..	1 14⅛	1 14½	1 13⅜	1 13⅝	1 14
July ..	99½	99⅝	98⅝	98⅝	99½
CORN					
No. 2					
Dec...	51¼	51¾	50⅜	50⅝	51⅛
May ..	46⅝	46⅞	46⅜	46½	46⅝
July ..	46⅜	46⅝	46¼	46½	46⅜
OATS.					
No. 2					
Nov. ..					31⅝
Dec...	29¼	29½	28¾	28⅞	31¾
May ..	31⅝	31⅝	31⅛	31⅜	29⅛
July ..	31⅝	31⅝	31⅛	31⅛	29⅛
MESS PORK.					
Jan. ..	12 67½	12 72½	12 65	12 67½	12 77½
May ..	12 70	12 75	12 67½	12 70	12 77½
LARD.					
Jan. ..	7 05	7 10	7 05	7 07½	7 17½
May ..	7 20	7 25	7 20	7 22½	7 30
SHORT RIBS.					
Jan. ..	6 52½	6 57½	6 50	6 55	6 60
May ..	6 65	6 67½	6 62½	6 65	6 70

Cash quotations were as follows:

Flour easier; No. 2 spring wheat, $1 10@1 15; No. 3, $1 03@1 12; No. 2 red, $1 16¾@1 18; No. 2 corn, 53½c; No. 2 yellow, 59c; No. 2 oats, 30½c; No. 3 white, 31@31½c; No. 2 rye, 80c; good feeding barley, 38@38½c; fair to choice malting 45@52c; No. 1 flaxseed, $1 10½; No. 1 northwestern, $1 17½; prime timothy seed, $2 02½; mess pork, per bbl., $11 15@11 20; lard, per 100 lbs., $7 02½@7 00; short ribs sides (loose), $6 87½@7 12; short clear sides (boxed), $6 87½@7 00; whisky, basis of high wines, $1 2a; clover, contract grade, $12 25.

Articles.	Receipts.	Shipments.
Flour, bbls.	20,550	18,000
Wheat, bu.	46,000	217,800
Corn, bu.	147,400	205,800
Oats, bu.	118,700	109,100
Rye, bu.	10,800	1,600
Barley, bu.	72,900	28,100

NEW YORK, Nov. 14.—Flour firm; receipts, 31,477 bbls; exports, 16,588 bbls. Rye flour firm. Cornmeal firm. Grain—Rye nominal. Barley steady. Wheat—Receipts, 45,100 bu; No. 2 red, $1 23¾ f o b afloat; No. 1 northern, Duluth, $1 28¾ f o b afloat; No. 1 hard, Manitoba, $1 08 f o b afloat. Options opened easy on big Russian shipments, sold up a cent on low temperatures west and reports of frost in Argentina, but finally yielded to weakness in Chicago and closed partly ⅛c net lower. May closed $1 15⅜; July closed $1 03¾; December closed $1 20⅜. Corn—Receipts, 2,150 bu; exports, 1,984 bu; spot firm; options market opened easier, rallied and sold off again and closed ¼c net lower. May closed 52¼c; December closed 59⅝c. Oats—Receipts, 156,700 bu; exports, 2,420 bu; spot dull; options nominal.

MILWAUKEE, WIS., Nov. 14.—Wheat, No. 1 northern, $1 15½; No. 2 northern, $1 10@1 14½; May, $1 13⅝ asked. Rye, No. 1, 85½c. Barley, No. 2, 55c; sample, 37@53c. Corn, No. 3, 56½@56c; May, 46½@46¾c asked.

ST. LOUIS, Nov. 14.—Close—Wheat, No. 2 red, cash, $1 14¼; December, $1 14⅛; May, $1 15⅝; No. 2 hard, $1 11@1 13. Corn, No. 2 cash, 53c; December, 45⅝c; May, 44¾c. Oats, December, 30c; May, 32¼c; No. 2 white, 32½@35c.

DULUTH, MINN., Nov. 14.—Close—Wheat, No. 1 northern, $1 17⅜; No. 2 northern, $1 09⅜; December, $1 16¾; May, $1 16¾ bid.

MINNEAPOLIS, Nov. 14.—Wheat, December, $1 15¾; May, $1 16¼; September, 95½c; No. 1 hard, $1 19¼; No. 1 northern, $1 17¼; No. 2 northern, $1 12¾. Flour, first patents, $3c 20@3 30; second patents, $3 05@3 15; first clears, $4 50@4 90; second clears, $3 10@3 20. Bran in bulk, $15.

TOLEDO, O., Nov. 14.—Cloverseed, cash, $7 47½; December, $7 50; February, $7 60; March, $7 62½ bid; prime alsike, $7 80; prime timothy, $1 27½.

BUFFALO, Nov. 14.—Flour steady, unchanged; wheat offering light; No. 2 hard, winter, $1 14⅝. Corn unsettled; No. 2 yellow, 68c; No. 2 corn, 66c. Oats firm; No. 2 white, 34½c; No. 2 mixed, 32½c. Barley, western c i f, 46@55c. Rye, No. 1, in store, 86c. Canal freights, wheat, 6¾c; barley, 3c to New York.

Coffee and Sugar.

NEW YORK, Nov. 14.—Coffee—The market for futures opened steady at unchanged prices. Wire trouble interfered with business and prices ruled barely steady in the absence of material buying. The close was barely steady at a decline of 10 points. Sales were reported of 48,250 bales, including December at 7.05c; January, 7.15c; March, 7.40c; May, 7.55@7.60c; July, 7.75c; September, 7.85@7.90c; October, 7.90@7.95c; spot Rio, steady; No. 7 invoice, 8 7-16c; mild firm. Sugar, raw firm; centrifugal, 96 test, 4 7-16@4½c; refined firm.

The Wool Market.

LONDON Nov. 14.—The arrivals of wool for the sixth series of auction sales closed today, with the following amounts: New South Wales, 25,405 bales; Queensland, 8,337 bales; Victorian, 15,479 bales; South Australia, 10,917 bales; West Australia, 6,882 bales; Tasmania, 187 bales; New Zealand, 15,110 bales; Cape of Good Hope and Natal, 8,728 bales. The total amount available for the series is 79,150 bales, including 2,900 bales held over from the fifth series.

Turpentine and Rosin.

SAVANNAH, GA., Nov. 14.—Turpentine firm, 50c. Rosin firm; A, B, C, $2 55; D, $2 80; E, $2 62½@2 65; F, $2 67½@2 70; G, $2 72½@2 75; H, $2 77½; I, $3 27½; K, $3 75; M, $4 25; N, $4 50; WG, $4 75; WW, $5 00.

WILMINGTON, N. C., Nov. 14.—Spirits turpentine firm, 49¾c. Rosin firm, $2 45. Tar firm, $1 60. Crude turpentine firm, $2 30 and $3 80.

CHARLESTON, S. C., Nov. 14.—Turpentine and rosin, nothing doing.

Vick Now Classified.

Florence T. Vick of Allegheny will now get his salary, as Director Scandrett has assured Controller Brown that Vick is a bona-fide special officer, appointed in Benjamin Ehrhart's place. The controller held up a warrant for $90, claiming he could not conscientiously pay that salary to a messenger.

FINANCIAL AND TRADE NOTES.

NEW YORK, Nov. 14.—A total of $3,700,000 in gold bars was engaged at the assay office today for shipment to Paris on Thursday. Of this amount the National City bank will ship $1,000,000, the Royal Bank of Canada, $1,000,000, and $1,000,000 will be sent by Lazard Freres.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 14.—National bank notes received today for redemption, $367,847; government receipts from internal revenue, $1,822,604; customs, $886,847; miscellaneous, $811,823. Expenditures, $2,360,000.

LIVE STOCK MARKETS.

PITTSBURGH UNION STOCK YARDS, Monday, Nov. 14, 1904.
STOCK ON SALE.

	Cattle	Hogs	Sheep
J. B. Huff & Co.	10	5¾	1½
S. H. Hedges & Co.	18	10¼	4¼
McCalla, Rowan & Newburn	21½	15½	3¼
W. & R. Brinkman	50	19½	6
J. Dyer & Co.	8½	15½	4½
J. Needy & Co.	26	10½	1
M. Huffman	6	....	....
L. Lowenstein & Co.	8	....	....
P. A. Schmitz & Bro.	8	....	....
Ohio L. S. C. Co.	1½	8½	2¾
Totals	160	85¼	22¾
Last week	127	96¾	18¼

SHIPMENTS.

	New York.			Philadel'a			Locals.		
	C.	H.	S.	C.	H.	S.	C.	H.	S.
Monday	9	8	6	5	3	7	46	28	8
Tuesday	1	13	3	3	10	9	33	15	3
Wednesday	9	18	..	7	..	8	25	6	..
Thursday	..	5	..	10	1	8	10	4	4
Friday	5	12	3	7	..	3	13	8	3
Sat. and Sun.	12	24	3	10	1	8	61	22	..
Totals	36	80	15	42

ONE NOVELTY AND MANY FAVORITES IN THE THEATERS

IN A NUTSHELL

NIXON—A Charming Favorite in an Old Play Not Quite So Well Supported.

GAYETY—A Very Strong Company in a Play of Doubtful Merit.

ALVIN—"Charley's Aunt Has Found Another Excellent Interpreter in Frederick Paulding.

DUQUESNE—The Rays. You Know What That Means.

EMPIRE—Anne Blancke Is as Popular as Ever in "The Outcast."

BIJOU—Again the Hanlons—In "Superba"—Bettered.

AVENUE—The Travesty Stock Has Won New Friends from the Beginning. "Hurly Burly" Goes With Vim.

GRAND—Some of the Best Vaudeville the Stage Affords.

ACADEMY—"The Imperials" Are Always Sure of a Welcome.

STAR—Some Excellent Pocket Vaudeville.

Nixon—Maude Adams as "Babbie."

Barrie's gypsy maiden of Thrums is just as delightful and winning as ever in the hands of Miss Maude Adams. It was this character that introduced Miss Adams as a star and when one wants to think of the charming actress at her best it is to "Babbie" that the mind at once turns. After several seasons in other plays, Miss Adams came back to us at the Nixon last night in a revival of "The Little Minister" that leaves but few things to be desired by those who saw and remember the original production. The star is herself more charming than ever. The long rest she has enjoyed since last we saw her has brought back the roses to Miss Adams' cheeks, and she was never more vivacious, full of the witchery and coquetry of her delectable art and bubbling over with that peculiarly graceful femininity which has won for her so warm a place in the hearts of American playgoers. Perhaps Miss Adams has acquired a few unnecessary gestures and her impersonation may lack somewhat its first spontaneity, but in all those dominant traits for which Babbie is so famous the actress still makes it the crowning achievement of her stage career. Miss Adams' supporting company contains the names of several of the original members. Margaret Gordon is again the French maid, Felice, and plays the role with delicate art and effective Gallic humor. Miss Gordon's work shares some of the honor that belongs to the star. Mr. Arthur Byron is a capable actor, far too capable to do anything badly, but in style and temperament he is not an effective Little Minister, though he plays the role intelligently and smoothly. Dear old Mrs. Jones, she of fond associations with the nurse of "Romeo and Juliet," is the Fanny Webster of the present cast, and displays her ripened versatility by giving a distinctly original rumor to the part. Of the elders Mr. Henderson and Wallace Jackson are of the original company. The chief elder is played by Charles Walcot and played well. Joseph Francoeur is the Bob Dow, and while his work is inferior to that of George Fawcett, who created the part, it is acceptable. Miss Violet Rand plays Micah Dow within the limits set by her experience and training. Eugene Jepson and George Irving have their old parts of Lord Rintoul and Capt. Halliwell and play them with the same excellence.

The incidental Babbie music, always a pleasant accompaniment of the comedy, was played abominably by a weak orchestra.

Gayety—"The Street Singer."

When Hal Reid wrote "The Street Singer" he had the inspiration for a genuine stage novelty, but his ambition to inject bright comedy lines into the piece changed the whole atmosphere of his work. "The Street Singer" is billed as a "musical drama." The performance is put forward by Florence Bindley and an excellent company, and naturally the attraction should be judged by a high standard. Unfortunately the author's efforts to be funny have had a disastrous effect. When he had built up a good situation, he threw the whole thing overboard with a joke that made a anti-climax of a whole scene. The story of the play borders close on the romantic drama, but the faithfulness to detail and the touch of the realistic, which approaches that of the modern melodrama, does not add to the merits of his efforts. Why topical songs such as "Like Katy Did" and "Billy" are interpolated, are not explained by the lines of the play. However, a big house last night was immensely pleased with the Gayety's attraction. An xylophone solo by Miss Bindley and her show girls in the first act was enthusiastically received. They played and sang the national airs and, of course, the patriotic feeling of the audience was put to the test. The play is splendidly staged.

Alvin—"Charley's Aunt."

That perennially amusing dame, "Charley's Aunt," made her annual bow to the patrons of the stock company at the new Alvin last night. Interest, of course, centered in Frederick Paulding's interpretation of the quasi aunt, who has been known to us heretofore through the unctuous art of Mr. Abbe, if the word art may be used or the thing art tolerated in such a hilarious comedy. Mr. Paulding's work pleased even those who retained admiring memories of Mr. Abbe, while those who had not seen Mr. Abbe will always associate the queer old lady with Mr. Paulding's ludicrous make-up and infectious comedy. He certainly scored a hit last night in this laughable latter-day farce. His work was especially good in the scene where Col. Chesney proposes and when he sang "The Maiden's Prayer" at the piano; the little bit of pathos in act three was also admirable, in which he shared the honors with Miss Dunn, who played Ela Delabay. Joseph Dailey as Stephen Spettigue did some good comedy work. William Courtenay played Jack Cheney with fine dash, while Howard Hickman ably seconded him as Charles Wykeham. William McVay's Col. Chesney looked and was the embodiment of chivalrous soldierly qualities. Jane Kennark as Kitty and Margaret Dills as Amy were charming, while Alice Gale as Donna Lucia, the real aunt, gave one of the best renderings she has yet given.

Grand—Vaudeville.

A visit to the Grand this week will furnish sufficient proof that vaudeville in its modern garb and under the direction of the best modern management is not only amusing and novel, but may become genuinely artistic as well. There are several acts on the Grand program this week that quite surpass in artistic merit and interest any like performances that vaudeville has so far given us. Loyalty to a long-time local favorite rather than the intrinsic value of her act brings Miss Marion Ballou to the position of "headliner" on the bill. Personally and in the affection of her friends Miss Ballou comes first. Her little vaudeville act is valuable chiefly for the reason that it reintroduces one of the most popular ingenues the local stock company ever had. She gives three recitations with accompanying music, Nora Perry's "Last Waltz," Taylor's "Money Musk," and Rudyard Kipling's "Danny Deever." Von Weber, an English reed, and Walter Damrosch contribute the music. Miss Ballou is not an elocutionist and her unfamiliarity with the laws of dramatic speech when detached from dramatic environment handicap her in this work. Then, too, the resort to a curtain and spot light do not contribute to the effectiveness of the act.

There are three distinct foreign novelties on the bill that lift it to a very high level of excellence. The impersonations by Zimmerman, the German ex-musician, are very fine. Under his artistic guidance and perfect mimicry one may hear the music of Verdi, Von Suppe, Rubenstein and Liszt while looking upon almost perfect reproductions of the composers themselves. So accurate is Zimmerman's impersonations and so carefully has he mastered even the racial and personal eccentricities of these eminent men. Oscar Hammerstein and the inevitable Sousa are the only American composers in the Zimmerman repertoire. Charles Hera, a juggler, is another recent European importation and undoubtedly one of the cleverest seen on the local stage. The marvelous candlestick trick is altogether unique in deftness and the entire act is one that is far ahead of the conventional juggling business. The Gausch sisters is the other European novelty and they do an acrobatic act that is full of sensational cleverness, accomplishing feats that the female acrobat has never tried before.

Stanley and Birbeck, Mr. and Mrs. Gardner Crane, Ward and Curran, Irving Jones, the "sure-enough coon," Yorke and Adams and pretty Louise Brehany are the other acts which give the Grand program the distinction of being the best representation of the best modern vaudeville.

Avenue—"Hurly Burly."

The travesty company at the Avenue has been materially strengthened as to numbers and its debut yesterday afternoon in Weber & Fields' "Hurly Burly" presented a better balanced ensemble than during the opening week. The conspicuous acquisition to the company is Gertie Moyer, a graceful little dancer, who shares the honors with Flossie Hope. Miss Moyer lacks the dash and the originality of Miss Hope, but nevertheless, made an instant hit with yesterday's audiences. That the travesty has come to stay is evidenced by the hearty hand that greeted each of the principals. Ellie Fay was recalled several times when her inimitable song, "The Belle of Avenue A," was interpolated. Rice and Cady and Bobby North have lines with the same infectious humor and nonsense which distinguished their parts last week, but many of their prize jokes are lost on Pittsburgh audiences. Herman West's new song, "Little Old Pittsburgh Is Good Enough for Me," has all the local coloring sufficient to make it go, and Eleanor Kent's opportunity for good singing improve the favor she won in "Whirl-I-Gig." The new "show girls" as yet have little part in the production except that their voices add much to the chorus numbers. A travesty on "Gismonda" by Stage Director Lask was a brief bit of buffoonery that gave a chance for a change of costume and stage settings. The scenery and stage appointments of "Hurly Burly" are in all respects up to the Harry Davis standard.

Bijou—Hanlon's "Superba."

That good old pantomime, "Superba," will never lose its charm. Two big audiences at the Bijou this week laughed at the antics of the nimble Pierrot and acted as if surprised at every odd acrobatic feat of his merry brothers. The secret of the success of "Superba" is that the funny play is invariably given with something new. This year the scenery has been repainted and the chorus has been improved by the addition of many pretty faces. The transformation scenes have been brought up to date and the specialties are right in line with the best offerings of vaudeville attractions. The Rainbow ballet and Miss Belle Gold and Bedford and Winchester, do the burden of the specialty work. Miss Gold presents the best novelty and won the approval of yesterday's audiences.

Empire—"A Little Outcast."

New York life with variations is portrayed in the thrilling production, "A Little Outcast" which is on the boards at the Empire this week. This is the third appearance of the play in Pittsburgh, but it has lost none of its former interest, judged by the cordial reception given the cast last night. Miss Anne Blanche in the role of Bob, the homeless, neglected newsboy is well known to local playgoers and her work is always appreciated. The humor and pathos of her adopted character are brought out in a masterly way and the boy hero of the plot is made to deserve all the praise which his brave and manly actions merit. The mental ravings of Quinn, the brilliant lawyer and opium fiend are well portrayed by George J. Elmore. Edwards Davis is a favorite in the cast and makes the role of Paul Weston, the outraged bank clerk, an intensely interesting one. Joseph J. Smiley, the cunning plotter, George B. Paddison, the hired crook, and Antoinette Smart, Paul Weston's wife, are well cast. The newsboy's quintet furnished some lively music and the stage effects are calculated to thrill the spectators.

Academy—"Imperial Burlesquers."

The reputation of the Imperial Burlesquers for first-class burlesque brought out two overflowing houses at the performances yesterday afternoon and last night, and the glad hand seemed to be extended by the crowd to everybody that appeared. A fast little musical comedy called "The Gay Widow Brown" opens the performance, and Mr. Williams new lot of comedians keep the fun going in lively style all through it. During the intervals when some comedian is not being banged about the stage the large and attractive chorus goes through several clever dancing numbers and introduces a few new songs. The olio was encored to the end and is made up of a baritone singing act by Flossie Coy, comedy sketches by McRae and Wyatt, the Washburn sisters, and Emmonds, Emerson and Emmonds. The hits of the olio were the musical act of the Bells and George Diamond's singing, accompanied by moving pictures. Another good burlesque, "The Girl From the West" —concludes the performance.

Duquesne—"The Rays."

The Rays, Emma and Johnny, in the musical farce, "Down the Pike," opened their return engagement at the Duquesne last night to a well filled house. The Rays are nearly the whole show, making about all the fun and noise, except what Tom Leo makes in the characters of an elephant and a donkey. Miss Burnham and Miss Peters sing their solos cleverly, and the choruses go through their drills as of yore. Some of the smart things said and done are coarse, rather too coarse for a refined audience. Those who have seen the Rays once always know them, even so far as they can hear them, for their voices never change, and their funny business is much the same, but it seems to be the sort that a lot of people like.

Star Theater—Vaudeville.

The new vaudeville bill that was inaugurated at the Star theater at Penn avenue and Butler street, yesterday, contains much that is amusing and seemed to thoroughly satisfy the three big audiences last evening and goodly-sized matinee audiences yesterday afternoon. The program is opened by "Dutch" Collins as "The German Senator." He has a lot of new jokes and songs. Lewis executes some lightning speed crayon sketches of well-known individuals and fills the balance of his time with a clever wire walking act. Mark Fields' legion of friends were on hand to welcome him back to the Star. Alexander and Nelson, who do a blackface sketch, are possibly a little weak with their rapid fire conversation, but they easily retrieve themselves by their dancing duets. The Starograph moving pictures complete the bill. Friday is "Amateur night," the contest being open to all Pittsburgh amateurs. A cash prize of $5 will be awarded to the winner. At both matinees every Saturday, a big bag of candy is given to every child attending.

Nat Goodwin Coming.

Mr. N. C. Goodwin and his newest and greatest play, "The Usurper," will hold the boards of the Nixon theater for but one week, commencing Monday evening, Nov. 21. The play received the approbation of Mr. Goodwin's well-wishers in Chicago, St. Louis and Cincinnati, and it is said to be a telling comedy of strenuous American life and to depict the up-to-date minute details of a captain of industry.

Irish Play at Alvin.

Extraordinary arrangements are in progress at the new Alvin theater for the first production on any stage in Pittsburgh, and the first Irish play of the season to reach the city of Branden Tynan's enormously successful play, "Robert Emmett, The Days of 1803," which had a run of over 200 nights in New York. The New York Herald pronounced it the greatest Irish play produced since Dion Boucicault's time.

"Running for Office."

"Running for Office" with a large company of comedians and singers who were selected by George M. Conan, comes to the Duquesne theater next week when the four Cohans' great success will be seen here for the first time at popular prices.

PRINCE MIRSKY HAS GAINED A VICTORY

His Enemies Cannot Persuade Czar to Postpone Conference of the Zemstvos.

[Associated Press Cable to The Gazette.]

ST. PETERSBURG, Nov. 14.—Prince Sviatopol-Mirsky, the minister of the interior, has been victorious. The attempts to force a postponement of the Zemstvo conference, scheduled to meet Saturday, November 19, have failed. Emperor Nicholas was not frightened by the specter of a constitution presented before him by the opponents of the Zemstvos, and at an audience, which he granted the minister of the interior this afternoon, he gave his sanction to the conference.

All true friends of the Zemstvos presidents, who are assembling here, are counseling moderation. The principal thing expected to be accomplished by the conference is a provision for the continuance of similar meetings in the future, and a change in the method of selecting representatives of the Zemstvos in the bureau of the department of the interior.

Heretofore, representatives to the number of 15 have been appointed from the Zemstvos by the minister of the interior. The Zemstvo president probably will propose that these representatives shall be selected by the Zemstvos themselves, and it is understood this change meets the approval of Prince Sviatopol-Mirsky.

MONEY FOR MISSIONS.

Methodist Episcopal Board Completes Its Appropriations for Foreign Fields and Small Cities at Home.

BOSTON, MASS., Nov. 14.—Appropriations made today by the general missionary committee of the Methodist Episcopal church include $50,000 for Africa; Europe, $146,950; and South America, $97,970. This practically completes the appropriations for 1905 to foreign missions.

Appropriations were also made for work in 40 cities of 4,000 inhabitants and over. The sum of $44,000 was set aside.

The sum of $50,000 was appropriated for work among white people in the south.

CONFERENCE OPENS TODAY.

Program of First Day's Session of Western Commission of Alliance of Reformed and Presbyterian Churches.

Gen. Ralph E. Prime of Yonkers, N. Y., president of the Western commission of the Alliance of Reformed and Presbyterian churches, which was established by the Pan-Presbyterian convention held in Liverpool last summer, will preside this afternoon and evening, in Grace Reformed church, at the first sessions of the commission since its inception.

Following a welcome by the pastor, the Rev. Dr. John H. Prugh, the following business will be transacted during the afternoon: Report of executive committee; reports of secretary and treasurer, the Rev. Dr. W. H. Roberts and F. K. Hippie, both of Philadelphia; report of committee on "American and European residents in Foreign Seaports," the Rev. Dr. S. H. Chester of Nashville; report of conferees on "Marriage and Divorce," by the Rev. Dr. W. H. Roberts; report on "Associate Church Membership," by the Rev. Dr. John McNaugher of Allegheny; reports on "Candidates for the Ministry," by the Rev. F. R. Beattie of Louisville.

At the public meeting to be held in Grace church this evening the speakers will be the Rev. Dr. Henry, moderator of the Presbyterian general assembly; the Rev. Dr. Donald S. Mackay of New York; the Rev. Dr. A. Pitzer of Washington, D. C., and President W. H. Black of the Missouri Theological seminary.

WILL ELECT NEW OFFICERS.

Fourth Avenue Baptist Congregation Holds Its Annual Meeting Tonight.

The Fourth Avenue Baptist congregation will hold its annual meeting this evening in the chapel in Fourth avenue. The regular date for the meeting fell on election night and was postponed until tonight on that account. There will be reports from officers and the election of new officers to fill all positions in the church and Sunday school. There will also be an address by the pastor, the Rev. Dr. Warren G. Partridge.

The church has a membership of 817, which includes the mission in Lorenz avenue, Elliott, which is soon to be organized into a church. In addition to the annual meeting and exercises supper will be served in the banquet room, where provision will be made for nearly 500 to be served at one time.

Consider Election of New Teachers.

The kindergarten committee of the Allegheny board of school controllers last night considered the question of whether or not five additional teachers shall be engaged for kindergarten work. The matter was talked over informally and no final action taken.

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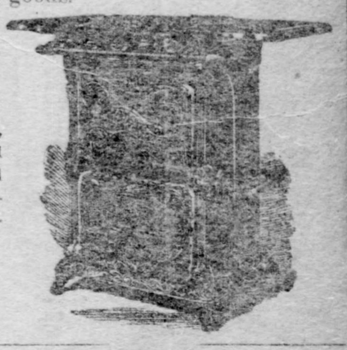

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